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Daily Free Democrat.

"THE LABORER IS WORTHY OF HIS HIRE."

BY S. M. BOOTH. MILWAUKEE, FRIDAY AFTERNOON, DECEMBER 16, 1853. VOL. IV.....NO. 77.

BUSINESS CARDS.

JOHN M. COE,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW, SOLICITOR IN CHANCERY, AND NOTARY PUBLIC—Office southeast corner of East Water and [illegible]

CHARLES SCHLEY,
ATTORNEY AT LAW, in Kirby's New Brick Block, nor[illegible] East Water and Wisconsin streets. [illegible]

S. C. WEST & CO.
COMMISSION AND PROVISION DEALERS—No. 15 Spring [illegible] of West Water street, Milwaukee.

P. BARKER,
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN HATS, CAPS, [illegible] AND FURS—No. 194 East Water street, Mil[illegible] for Shipping Furs. [illegible]

THOS. P. WILLIAMS,
COMMISSION FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANT, [illegible] Kenosha, Wis. Can be found on the property [illegible] for the Troy and Michigan Lake Boat [illegible] Canal, and for Reed's Line of Steamers [illegible] on the Lakes.
[illegible] R. N. AUSTIN.

AUSTIN & DUNN,
COUNSELLORS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW, AND [illegible] PUBLIC—Juneau Block, Milwaukee, Wis. [illegible]

CYRUS D. ROOTH,
ATTORNEY AT LAW—At the Office of the "Free Democrat," Juneau Block. [illegible]

HERBERT REED,
WHOLESALE GROCER AND PROVISION DEALER—Also, [illegible] Nails, Glass, Stoves, Cutlery, &c., No. 235 East [illegible] opposite City Hotel.

DOCTOR J. P. GREVES,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON—Milwaukee street, between Wisconsin and Huron streets, Milwaukee, Wis. [illegible] corner of Wisconsin and Marshall sts.

FINCH & LYNDE,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW—Will attend to all business in the Stage office.

P. L. HOSSIN,
DEALER IN METALS AND WOOD—No. 8 Wisconsin [illegible] opposite the Stage office, Milwaukee. Executor's, Notarial Seals, Seal Stamps for Solicitors, Seals and Brands, and every kind of engraving done.

DOCTOR DOUGLAS,
HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN—Office corner of Wisconsin and Main streets. He is always on hand, [illegible] Medicines, and Cases for physicians' use.

JOHN GREGORY,
CITY ENGINEER, Surveyor, and Emigrant Agent—[illegible] Water street, above Stage Office.

ALEXANDER MARQUIS,
CARPENTER—Law Buildings, Wisconsin st., [illegible] nov21

D. S. BROWN,
AMBROTYPE GALLERY—Martin's Block, corner East [illegible] Wisconsin streets, Milwaukee. Persons [illegible] can always have a good Likeness taken in a [illegible] Plates, Cases, Cameras, Chemicals, Gold [illegible] &c., for sale. Young men furnished with instructions in the art. [illegible]

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[illegible] Bookseller and Publisher Dealers in Foreign and American Books, Stationery, &c., No. 146 E. S., Milwaukee.

J. C. GRIDLEY & CO.
DEALERS IN DRY GOODS, Groceries, Crockery, &c., Ludington's Block, corner of East Water and [illegible] street, Milwaukee.

HACK, OFFINGER & CO.
Forwarding—New York Cheap Cash Store—194 West [illegible] street, Milwaukee.

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A. K. WILLIAMS,
AGENT FOR DELAWARE—Also Agent for Pittsburgh [illegible] No. 6 Spring street, first door east of American House, Milwaukee.

COUNSELLORS—BYRON PAINE, HORTENSIUS J. PAINE.
PAINE & SONS,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW, and Solicitors in Chancery—[illegible] Block, Milwaukee.

J. H. RAMSEY,
ATTORNEY AT LAW—Spring street, opposite American House, Milwaukee.

HILLAR & JOHNSON,
MANUFACTURERS IN COOKING, PARLOR & PLATE STOVES [illegible] Tin Ware, No. 23 Spring street, Milwaukee, [illegible] door east American House. june28

H. P. PECK,
DEALER IN DRY GOODS—140 United States Block, [illegible] Milwaukee.

TURTON & SERCOMB,
MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN STEAM FOUNDRY—West Water street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

J. B. SILKMAN,
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HALL & STARR,
ATTORNEYS & COUNSELLORS,
WALL STREET.....NEW YORK

J. F. BIRCHARD,
DEALER IN Real and wholesale and retail dealer in [illegible] Chairs, and Upholstery, No. 21 [illegible] Block) Milwaukee. Splendid [illegible] furniture, of the most graceful approved [illegible] finished, made under the proprietor's [illegible] in of the very best materials, and by [illegible] experienced workmen. june28

BAKER & LOVE,
Manufacturers of Steam Engines and Hydraulic Oil Presses, Wood, and Cast Lathes, Reaping and Mowing Machines, Circular and Hand Drills, and Patent Mill [illegible] Drills and Saw Arbors, Superior Oil [illegible] Power, Seed Drills and Corn Shellers, Grist [illegible] Mill Gearing, All kinds of Screw Cutting done [illegible] made to order, and other machinery [illegible] on short notice. A select and full assortment [illegible] than 1. S. G. BAKER. L. S. LOVE.
[illegible] Foundry, Wis.

SAMUEL D. HASTINGS,
FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANT.
[illegible] Street, La Crosse, La Crosse County, Wisconsin. [illegible] of Flour, Pork, Provisions, and all manufactured articles, respectfully solicited. [illegible] may rely upon every effort being made to effect the best advantage, and upon prompt returns.
REFER TO
[illegible] Esq., Milwaukee | J. G. Knapp, Esq., Madison
[illegible] Gilman, Ill. | Z. Eastman, Esq., Chicago
[illegible] Esq., N. York. | Hon. Geo. Gale, La Crosse

SURVEYING & CIVIL ENGINEERING AND HOUSE AGENCY.—The Subscribers have for sale FARMS in every part of the [illegible] HOUSES and LOTS in every Ward in the City. [illegible] ready to execute Surveys, pay Taxes, divide [illegible] our Roads or Mill Sites, measure earth-work [illegible] estimates for Contractors, draw Maps, Plans [illegible] Office over Kneeland & Hull's Bank.
J. GREGORY, County Sur. & Civ. Eng.
W. P. HUNTINGTON.
[illegible] Gregory's Industrial Resources of Wisconsin to be [illegible] at all the Bookstores. [illegible]

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T. COLLINGBOURN,
HOUSE, SIGN AND ORNAMENTAL PAINTER, PAPER HANGER, &c.
184 East Water Street, Milwaukee.
IMITATION OF WOOD AND MARBLE, done in the best manner.
Paints, Oil, Glass, Sash and Putty, on hand. Also [illegible] and American Zinc Paint. aug24dtf.

BUSINESS CARDS.

R. P. CADY,
(Successor to Edward D. Holton,)
MANUFACTURERS OF PURE SALERATUS, and Dealer in Dry Goods and Groceries, 17 Spring street, Milwaukee. une21-dacly

DOCT. D. T. BROWN.
Homœopathic Physician.
Office corner Wisconsin and Main Streets, opposite the Milwaukee Bank.
DR. B. keeps constantly on hand Homœopathic medicines of all kinds, for the supply of Physicians and families. apr8

WAUKESHA BUSINESS CARDS.

GILBERT WRIGHT,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
WAUKESHA, WIS. oct24dkw

A. COOK,
Attorney at Law, and Notary Public. Office opposite the Post Office. Waukesha, Wis

J. M. HURLBURT,
Painter and Glazier, Opposite Hedge's Exchange, Waukesha, Wis. dec5

C. ALEXANDER,
Keeps constantly on hand and for sale, all kinds of Harnesses, Trunks, Saddles, &c. All kinds of Job Work in his line done on the shortest notice. Shop opposite Gale's Block. Waukesha, dec6

E. HURLBURT,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law, Solicitor in Chancery and Notary Public, Oconomowoc, Waukesha County Wisconsin. December, 1851.

WAUKESHA ADVERTISEM'TS.

DRUGS, MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, &c.
H. N. DAVIS, wholesale and retail dealer in DRUGS, MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, DYE STUFFS, &c., Gale's Block, sign of the "Golden Mortar." Also,
Books, Stationery, Paper-Hangings, &c.
all which will be sold as low the times will admit.
Waukesha, June, 1852.

HOMŒOPATHIC PHARMACY.
The Only One in Wisconsin!
THE subscribers would inform Physicians and Families throughout the State, and the West generally, that they have on hand, and intend to keep a constant supply of
Homœopathic Remedies,
from Tinctures and Triturations to the two-thousandth Dilution, sufficient for any demands in the West.
Our assortment also contains a full supply of Pellets, Sugar of Milk, Vials of all sizes, Corks, Distilled Alcohol, Physicians' and Family Medicine Cases and Chests, containing from ten to sixty Remedies, an assortment of Medical Books, &c, &c.
More than ordinary pains will be taken to procure the best articles that this country and Germany afford.
Office—Corner Main and Wisconsin streets.
dec29 DOUGLAS & GREVES.

MARKET HOUSE
VEGETABLE DEPOT.
H. SPAAN, GREEN GROCER, keeps constantly on hand at the Market House, Vegetables of all kinds, received every morning. Flowers in pots, Garden Seeds, All kinds of Plants for setting, Cauliflowers, Broccoli, Asparagus. Also, the choicest varieties of Dahlia Roots, Rose Bushes, Cactus and all other choice kinds of Flowers for sale at the lowest prices. je21

THE OLD MARBLE FACTORY.
J. M. RAMSEY, would respectfully inform the citizens of Wisconsin, that he has on hand one of the largest and best stocks of Marble in the West, consisting in part of
Monuments, Headstones, &c.
Persons wishing to commemorate deceased friends, can supply themselves at his establishment.
All work executed in the latest styles—and on terms prices will be observed, with the addition of freight.
Shop on Spring street, opposite American House, Milwaukee. J. M. RAMSEY.
June, 1852-d.w.6

1853.
E. M. SHOYER & CO.,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL CLOTHIERS,
154, East Water Street, Milwaukee,
DEALERS IN
Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods,
FRENCH AND ENGLISH CLOTHS,
CASSIMERES & VESTINGS of the latest styles.
Selected expressly for the custom trade. Gentlemen leaving their orders with us will have their wishes consulted and complied with, as all work is done under the supervision of Mr. S. H. BLACK, an artist of superior taste and merit.
READY MADE CLOTHING,
We have now on hand the largest and best selected stock of fashionable ready made clothing ever in this market, of our own manufacture, which we will sell as cheap as can be purchased of any house west of New York. Our stock of
SHIRTS, HOSIERY & CRAVATS,
Gloves, Collars, Suspenders, &c.,
is unusually complete, and at prices that defy competition. Thankful for the patronage so liberally bestowed upon the location, we hope by fair and honorable dealing to merit a continuance of the same.
E. M. SHOYER,
my23-d&w SAM'L SHOYER.

A T C. OTT'S BOOKSTORE, No. 275, Market Square has just arrived:
F. AHN'S
New, Practical and easy Method of
LEARNING THE GERMAN LANGUAGE,
WITH A PRONOUNCIATION
arranged according to J. C. Ochlschlager's recently pub'd
Pronouncing German Dictionary.
FIRST & SECOND COURSE.—Sm. 180 pages, bound in Muslin. 37½ cents each.
This little work which met a favorable reception in Europe is just republished in this country. It is suited to every capacity, and cannot fail to facilitate the labors of the student, who is desirous of learning to read and speak the German language in the shortest time possible. German literature occupies a high position. Germans are pouring into this State by thousands every year, their language, therefore, is becoming every day of more importance to the people of Wisconsin. We therefore heartily recommend these elementary works to all those who desire to study this fine language. [ap23] C. OTT, Agent.

HOME CIRCLE, by Mrs. Kirkland.
THE EVENING BOOK, by the same Author.
Napoleon and His Marshalls, a new illustrated Edition in one Royal 8vo volume.
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Quiver Bonnets, a Book for Girls, by Mrs. Tuthill.
This day received. nov12 S. CHAPMAN.

1853.
FOR CHICAGO!
The New, Fast and Splendidly-Furnished Steamer
GARDEN CITY,
Capt. E. Crooker,
Will leave here This, and Every Evening, at 7 o'clock, or on the arrival of the Cars from the West. Cabin Fare, $1.50. Steerage, $1.00.
The Tickets of the Southern Michigan Railroad will be taken on this boat, and passengers furnished with Splendid Rooms.
Capt. Crocker came here at the solicitation of the citizens of Lake Michigan ports, to run an Evening Line to Chicago, and to put the fare at reasonable rates, and he asks the public to sustain him.
L. J. HIGBY, Freight Agent.
aug 1 dtf L. D. JEROME, Passenger Agent.

PAPER WINDOW SHADES, a new article much superior to the blended, this day received,—also a new supply of cloth shades and trimmings.
Ap27 S. CHAPMAN.

CONSTITUTION OF THE U. STATES
Farr's History of England, &c., for sale at
je1 CHAPMAN'S.

SLATES—3 by 5, 5 by 7, 6 by 9, 7 by 11, 10 by 18, and larger, just received
oct21-d&c S. CHAPMAN.

SUP. CAR. SODA, AND CREAM TAR TAR—600 pounds for sale, wholesale and retail, by
sep25 H. REED

FLOOR OIL CLOTHS.—100 pieces Floor Oil Cloths from 2 to 24 feet wide in store and for sale low
(je3) BRADFORD BRO'S.

JUST RECEIVED, 8 bbls Lard Oil; 25 bxs Star Candles, for sale low at the chequered warehouse.
jy2 J. W. HASKIN.

FRUIT.—100 bbls. GREEN APPLES in good condition, just landed and for sale by
sep22 NICHOLS, BRITT & CO.

SALT! SALT! SALT!—A cargo just landed of fine Barrel and Dairy Salt in Sacks, all in good condition.
aug2 NICHOLS, BRITT & CO.

PUBLIC HOUSES.

AMERICAN HOTEL,
CLEVELAND, OHIO,
WILLIAM MILFORD, Proprietor.

PRAIRIEVILLE HOUSE.
By P. C. JONES.
WAUKESHA, - - - - - WISCONSIN.

MATTESON HOUSE.
Corner of Randolph and Dearborn streets,
CHICAGO, ILL.
STEVENS & WILLARD, PROPRIETORS.

NEW ENGLAND HOUSE,
Corner of Franklin and Dodge sts.
WEST SIDE OF THE RIVER.
JANESVILLE, - - - WISCONSIN.
JOHN KIMBALL, PROPRIETOR.
This House is conducted upon strict Temperance Principles, and furnished in a superior style. my18-dtf

A. B. VAN COTT.
WATCHMAKER, and JEWELLER.
Corner of Michigan and E. Water Sts., Milwaukee,
AND 148 MAIN STREET, RACINE.
Having purchased the establishment of Mr. GARDINER, Milwaukee—informs his friends and the Public generally, that he has just received from New York City, the most splendid and extensive stock of goods in his line ever offered to customers in the Western country. This assortment comprises Gold and Silver Watches, with cylinders, anchor and patent levers, escapement, selected by himself expressly for his customers, and warranted.
CLOCKS in plain, gothic and ornamental cases, running from 30 hours to 30 days, made of the best materials and warranted among the best in the world. Also Marine Clocks.
LOOKING GLASSES.—A great assortment, with gilt mahogany frames of various sizes and patterns, with polished plates, and warranted true.
SILVER WARE—Table, tea and desert spoons, sugar scoops, &c., warranted of the finest coin standard.
LAMPS—A great variety of solar Lamps of the most perfect construction, securing a most beautiful and brilliant light, of various sizes and with elegant plain and cut glass shades.
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.
Guitars of superior tone and perfect workmanship, Violins, the best assortment ever offered, including some of great antiquity and value. Accordeons of elegant tone and finish, German Flutes, Fifes, &c., with instruction books, Violin and Guitar strings, &c., and other appurtances to musical instruments.
JEWELLRY of the best quality, including Ear Rings of the Jenny Lind, German, and other late and fashionable styles. Breast Pins, Finger Rings, with diamond and stone settings; also fine coin wedding rings.
Mr. VAN COTT, having long been a manufacturer of the above articles in the city of New York, his knowledge and experience furnish him with excellent opportunities to select and recommend the best articles in his line.
FANCY GOODS of all kinds, such as silver and Buffalo Horn Combs, Brushes, Spectacles, Guard Chains, gold and siver, Britannia Tea Setts, Silver Cake Baskets, Castors, &c., &c.
Watches cleaned and warranted to keep time for one year, or money refunded. oct29

GROCERIES! GROCERIES!!
AT WHOLESALE,
103 & 105, EAST WATER STREET.
P. W. BADGLEY & CO.,
ARE RECEIVING their SPRING STOCK, purchased East, which, added to their large receipts of
SUGAR AND MOLASSES.
From New Orleans, render their Stock desirable for Cash buyers to examine before making their purchases. It is our object to have, at all times, a stock that will show favorably with any similar stock in the West. We will hold ourselves ready to duplicate any Retail Dealers' purchases East, adding necessary expenses.
Mr. BADGLEY'S long experience in the Jobbing Grocery Business in New York, enables us to buy our Stock as well as most Jobbing Houses in New York—insuring to our Customers a
FULL EQUALITY
with those who purchase in New York; in fact, BETTER—as we purchase full half our stock South and West, at far better rates than we can East.
ALL ORDERS entrusted to us will receive the same attention as if present.
OUR STOCK, in part, consists as follows:—
150 Hhds, various grades, SUGARS.
280 Bbls MOLASSES.
415 half chests Green and Black TEAS.
350 Bags RIO COFFEE.
100 Boxes Manufactured TOBACCO.
A large supply of LAMP OIL.
500 Boxes SARDINES.
Indigo, Nutmegs, Cloves, Pepper and Spice.
60 Casks BRANDIES.
40 " WINES, in ⅛, ¼ and 1-2 Pipes.
Also agents for the celebrated TIGER MILL POWDER.
P. W. BADGLEY
my16d&w JOHN A. BUTCHER.

GREAT ARRIVAL OF
BOOKS AND STATIONERY!
HALL & PIERCE are now receiving their fall stock, much of which has had a long and perilous voyage on the "Raging Canal," but has escaped shipwreck and fire and is now safely in store, where our friends are invited to give us a call. We mean what we say, when we assert that we have the best stock of Cap and Letter Paper ever offered in Wisconsin, and at lower prices. Our stock of School Books and Stationery has never been surpassed. We have a few more of that "same sort" of Gold Pens; also, a large stock of Wall and Curtain Paper, wholesale and retail.
J. A. HALL, R. W. PIERCE.
oc18 185 East Water Street.

REMOVAL.
P. YALE has removed his CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT to No. 158, Dickerman's Block, East Water Street, 3 doors south of the Wisconsin Fire & Marine Insurance Co.'s Bank, where he is now receiving his spring and summer stock of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings and Ready-Made Clothing. His stock was selected with much care, and he would respectfully invite all who are in want of CLOTHING to give him a call, assuring them that he will always sell them a good article at a low price.
N. B.—WILLIAMS' REPORT OF FASHIONS constantly on hand for sale at [ap23] 158, E. Water St

NEW YORK MILLINERY.
NEW QUARTERS! NEW GOODS!
REMOVAL!
MISS MORRIS has opened her NEW STORE, on the corner of Wisconsin and Main sts., where she has for sale a new and splendid assortment of
MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS
of the latest and best styles. She has also a large stock on the way, and intends to keep her store at all times well supplied with the best goods, so that those ladies who wish to PURCHASE can always find what they want.
PATTERNS and DRESS TRIMMINGS of all descriptions always for sale. my14

DECKER & SEVILLE,
PROPRIETORS OF THE
RELIANCE WORKS,
Milwaukee, - - - Wisconsin.
GENERAL MANUFACTURERS of Stoves, Castings, Agricultural Implements, Tin, Sheet Iron and Copper Ware, French Burr Mill Stones, &c., &c.
Job Work done on the shortest notice, and in a workman-like manner.
Manufactory, No. 290 WEST WATER ST. | Sale Rooms, No. 115 EAST WATER ST.
Also, Dealers in Bolting Cloths, Mill Furnishings, Stucco, Water Lime, Fire Brick, &c. apr16
C. S. DECKER. JAMES SEVILLE.

R. A. CLIFFORD,
LANDSCAPE AND PORTRAIT PAINTER,
INVITES the Citizens to examine his Specimens. Lessons given in Monochromatic, Pencil Drawing and Oil Painting.
OFFICE—No. 3, (3d Story,) MARTIN'S BLOCK.
july8-d1yr.

WANTED.
A DWELLING HOUSE, for a small family. Those having one to lease, please leave description and price with L. J. HIGBY, at his Pier.
aug 1dtf CAPT. E. CROOKER.

LIVE GEESE FEATHERS—60 bags of pure Live Geese Feathers, just received and for sale at
je3 BRADFORD BRO'S.

HAMBURGH AND OHIO CHEESE of the best quality, constantly on hand and for sale by
aug2 NICHOLS, BRITT & CO.

BACKGAMMON Boards—Common, Plain and Fancy
nov12 S. CHAPMAN.

TONGUES AND SOUNDS, in kits, just received at
(nov12) H. REED'S.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS' PRESENTS!
—AT—
F. J. BLAIR'S,
NO. 163, EAST WATER STREET.
A splendid variety of rich, ornamental and useful goods, purchased expressly for the Holidays, a list of which may be found below:

Band China fruit Baskets,	Band gilt lustre and white chi
White do do Bowls,	na, tea and dinner setts
Band do do	Plated cake baskets
Rich dec'd china coffee cups	do castors,
do do card caskets,	do candlesticks,
do do cologns,	do lamps,
do do candlesticks,	do snuffers and trays,
Bohemian glass vases,	do spoons (tea and table,)
do do decanters,	do butter & fruit knives,
do do vines,	do dinner & desert forks,
do do colognes,	Rich gilt candelabras,
do do spoon receiv'rs	do girandoles,
do do toilet bottles,	Solar and hall lamps,
Terra Cotta and Wedgwood	Oil and gas chandaliers,
segar vases with ash cups,	Parian Pitchers,
French toilet sets,	do molasses jugs,
Children's ewers and basins,	Toy, tea sett and dec'd mugs
English & French tea trays,	do cups, saucers, &c, &c.

Also a large lot of best ivory handled cutlery.
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FARMERS! ATTENTION!
BOOKS WORTH READING!
Spare a little Money for such Books as these, and you will be repaid ten-fold for the small outlay.
WE have the greatest lot of AGRICULTURAL BOOKS ever seen in Wisconsin, comprising Youatt on the Horse, Youatt and Martin on Cattle, Hinds' Farrier, Mason's do., Farmer's Barn Book, Complete Farmer and Gardener, Downing's Fruit Trees, Cole's Fruit Book, Cole's Disease of Animals, Am. Fruit Culturist, American Muck Book, Barry's Fruit Garden, Farmers' Cyclopedia of Ag., Allen on the Grape, Youatt on Sheep, Randall's Sheep Husbandry, Shepherd's own Book, American Poultry Yard, Bennett's Poultry Book, Mysteries of Bee Keeping, Allen's Am. Farm Book, Allen's Rural Architecture, Downing's Landscape Gardening, Downing's Horticulturer, Morrell's American Shepherd, Bevan on the Bee, Guenon on Milch Cows, Blake's Am. Farmer, American Cattle Doctor, Pocket Farrier, Chaver's Diseases of Horses, Fessenden's Complete Farmer, Stevens' Book of the Farm, Saxton's Rural Hand Book (Bound), Smith's Landscape Gardening, &c., &c., &c. Our Stock comprises nearly every work on this subject published in this country. We have a great variety of Cheap Works, at 25 cents each, on these subjects. In fact, we have three times the quantity of the above books of any store in the State.
Prices invariably low. Books sent by mail to any part of the country.
Send in your orders, and don't fail to look at our stock when in the city. H. D. HULL,
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REED'S BAKING POWDER.
FOR EASILY making Broad, Biscuit, Fried, Griddle and Johnny cakes, &c., &c., Infinitely better, sweeter, whiter, lighter, healthier, and much quicker than can be made by Dutcher's or any other Baking Powder.
A large number of housekeepers in Milwaukee and elsewhere, who have tried this preparation, pronounce it superior to any ever before used.
Use it according to the directions, and the Bread or Biscuit must rise, even with poor flour.
Those desiring further information in regard to the merits of the article by calling upon the manufacturer will be shown certificates from many of the most respectable residents of Milwaukee.
Prepared only by Herbert Reed, Family Grocer, No. 235 East Water St., Milwaukee.
CAUTION.—The written signature of HERBERT REED, must always be found upon a red stamp on the back of every package of the genuine article. Every paper bearing such stamp is warranted better, purer and cheaper than any other similar preparation, and fully equal to the recommendations. mar11tf

MILWAUKEE GYMNASIUM.
TREAT'S HALL.
THE undersigned would respectfully beg leave to inform his friends and the public generally, that he has fitted up TREAT'S HALL in a suitable manner for GYMNASTIC EXERCISES. The exercises proposed will consist of Vaulting, Climbing, Fencing, and the art of Self-Defence, &c. The list of subscribers will be limited, and the room confined exclusively to their use from 5 to 8 o'clock A. M., and from 5 to 10 o'clock P. M. The intermediate parts of the day will be devoted to private instructions.—The Milwaukee Gymnasium is under the patronage of a number of the most influential men of of the city, a large proportion of whom are Members of the Bar, Medical Faculty, Bankers and Merchants.
may 9-dtf F. A. PEACOCK, Instructor.

ANOTHER ARRIVAL OF
NEW AND BEAUTIFUL CARPETING.—Just received by the Subscribers a fresh assortment of Velvet Tapestry, Brussels, Three Ply and Ingrain Carpetings, some new patterns of Three Ply goods never before seen, and we think the handsomest styles that have yet been exhibited in our city. We should be happy to show the goods to our citizens before the assortment is broken.
je20 BRADFORD BROTHERS.

NOTICE.
LOST or mislaid by the subscribers, Milwaukee & Mississippi Railroad Stock Certificate No. 734, dated Nov. 10, 1851, for 99 99 100 dollars, issued to Wm. S. Barnard or bearer. Persons are cautioned against purchasing or negotiating said certificate, the payment of the same having been stopped. The finder will receive the thanks of the undersigned owners if left at their store in Milwaukee.
je14-dtf BRADFORD BROTHERS.

MONEY! MONEY!!
READERS do you wish to invest money so as to nett you twelve per cent for a number of years on good real estate or to purchase good securities so as to clear 15 per cent per annum, without charge to the capitalist. Call on the subscriber who has rare opportunities for investment, also some of the best bargains in the city in the line of real estate GEO. E. H. DAY,
ap20 Dickerman's Block.

IVORY HANDLED CUTLERY.—Just received, the largest and best selected stock of Table Cutlery to be found in this city, consisting of Knives and Forks, 1 setts of 51 pieces; Dinner and Desert Knives without forks; Butter Knives, Carvers and Forks; Fruit Knives, &c. &c., for sale very low at No. 163 East Water street. june28 F. J. BLAIR.

HALL & PIERCE have a very nice assortment of Cap and Letter Paper, Commercial, Note, &c. &c., which they will sell at low prices. They also deal largely in ARNOLD'S WRITING FLUID, AND JACKSON'S BLACK INK.
aug18 185 EAST WATER ST.

PLEASANT ROOMS TO RENT,
ON upper part of Main street. Parlor, and Bed Room adjoining, with use of Kitchen if required. Terms moderate.
Enquire of Mr. CHAPMAN, Meat Market, 192 East water street. dec15 dtf

INK.—Arnold's Writing Ink, in stone bottles, for Schools; for sale by the dozen, very low. Arnold's writing Fluid, one half pint, pint, and quart Bottles.—Black Record Ink, various sizes; Arnold's copying Ink; Arnold's Red Ink
oct21-d&c S. CHAPMAN.

MATTRASSES.—Hair, Felt, Moss, Cotton and Straw Mattrasses constantly on hand or made to order, at A. D. SEAMANS,
jy16 172 & 174 East Water st.
Sofa and Chair Cushions on hand and made to order.

OFFICE TO RENT.
THE very desirable office recently occupied by the Telegraph Company, in Dickerman's Block, East Water Street, for rent. Inquire of Geo. E. H. Day, in the same building. Milwaukee, June 10th, 1853.

KENOSHA WATER-CURE.
THIS Institution will be open for the reception of patients this Winter. Proprietor.
H. T. SEELEY, M. D.
Kenosha, November 2, 1852. nov3-dact

PAPER HANGINGS.
A NEW supply of over 150 varieties this day received. My stock is now the largest in the State, and defies competition in variety, quality and price, from 6c to $1.50 per pr. [a 27] S. CHAPMAN.

CHURCH PSALMIST.—Churches can be supplied with the Church Psalmist at a very small advance from cost. Common Prayer Books and Bibles in plain and elegant binding, for sale by
aug18 HALL & PIERCE, 185 East Water st.

ECLECTIC (McGuffey's) Series of Reading Books, Sanders' do do do
Rays' series of Arithmetic and Algebra—with all school books in common use, in any quantity.
nov12 S. CHAPMAN

NEW STYLE CAPS.
A NEW and beautiful style of Caps—latest fashion—can be found at 152 East Water street.
ap11 J. H. SILKMAN

MONOCHROMATIC BOARD, Crayon Paper, Drawing paper, Profile paper, Crayon Stumps, Black and Chalk Crayons, French Bristol Crayons, &c., &c.
oct21-d&c S. CHAPMAN.

1853. CHEAP CASH SALES! 1853.
GREAT ARRIVAL OF GOODS AT
LUDINGTON & GRIDLEY'S.
THE SUBSCRIBERS being now located for life on the Old Corner stamping ground, have to acknowledge to Their Friends and the Public Generally, the very liberal patronage they have received for the past season, and at the same time would inform them that they are now in receipt of a general
ASSORTMENT OF GOODS,
new good and fashionable, direct from New York and Boston, consisting of
LADIES' DRESS GOODS,
in elegant designs and of rich material, viz: French and India Silks, Bareges and Silk Tissues, French Lawns, Muslin and Barege De Laines, Poplins, Fine French, Scotch and American Ginghams,
SHAWLS,
of Embroidered Crape, Thibet, Silk, Broche, &c. Summer Shawls, Visettes and Mantillas of the latest Parisian Fashions, at Low Prices.
Embroideries, Spring Styles,
consisting of Collars, Handkerchiefs, Under-sleeves, Edging, Insertion, Curtains, &c., &c.
GLOVES AND HOSIERY,
White, Black and Fancy Colored Kid, Silk, Lisle, Thread and Cotton Gloves; Misses' and Boys' Gloves, Silk and Cotton, and an endless variety of Ladies', Gent's, Girls and Boy's Hosiery.
VEILS,
Blue, Brown, Black and Green Barege, Spotted and Embroidered Lace Veils, and Falls in great variety.
RIBBONS, &c.,
Hat and Cap Ribbons, a large and good assortment; also, Fans of every description; Black, Puff and Side Combs, Dressing and Ivory Combs.
DRAPERY MUSLINS,
consisting of White Goods, Jaconette, Mull, Book, Lawn, Stripe, Cross-bar, Dotted, &c., &c.
MOURNING GOODS,
Bombazines, Ginghams, Muslins, Lawns, Lustres, Bareges, Barege de Laines, Love and Crape Veils, Collars, &c.
PARASOLS & UMBRELLAS,
A FULL ASSORTMENT.
LINENS, Super Irish Linen, Shirting and Sheeting, White and Brown Table Linen, Union and Jacquard Diaper, Bleached, Brown and Bird's-Eye Diaper, Huckaback, Scotch and Irish Diaper, Doylies, Napkins, &c.
DOMESTICS,
Seamless Bags, Cotton Yarn, Warp, Brown and Bleached Sheeting and Shirting, Stripe Shirting, Denims, Tickings, Checks, White, Red, Green and Yellow Flannel, Canton do; a great variety of goods for Men's and Boy's summer wear; Satinetts, Kentucky Jeans, Satin and other Vestings Broadcloths, Fancy and Plain Cassimeres, Plain Silks &c.
We would also say that this is THE PLACE to find a complete and large assortment of
GROCERIES, Also, Pickles and Preserves, either at Wholesale or Retail.
We are the only authorized agents for the sale of the genuine Minor & Horton Peekskill Ploughs and Castings. Also, Rich's Cast Iron Beam Ploughs and Castings.
A GOOD ASSORTMENT OF
PLAIN CROCKERY.
N. B.—Cash Trade being cheaper for all, we have adopted the system; and as our season arrangements for weekly receipts of goods are perfected, we can at all times offer to our customers "Fresh and Desirable Goods, and flatter ourselves that goods cannot be bought cheaper than at the Store of
je2 LUDINGTON & GRIDLEY.

1853. NEW 1853.
DRY GOODS, CARPETINGS AND OIL CLOTHS.
H. P. PECK,
No. 140, U. S. Block, East Water Street,
HAS received a splendid assortment of Spring and Summer Goods, comprising the most elegant styles in French, English, German and Domestic Dry Goods ever brought into this city.
RICH DRESS GOODS.
Rich Camelion and Brocade Silks, Camelion Striped India Summer Silks, Black Moires and High Colors, Canton Dress Crapes, rich Grenadine Silks, Crape de Paris, Chalise de Laines, Barege de Laines, plain and printed Bareges, Poplins, Beige de Laines, Embroid'd and Plain for Traveling Dresses.
Plain and Watered Black Silks, which have gained the reputation of being the most perfect Silks to wear, having a mellow softness and beautiful lustre.
5,000 Yards Barege de Laines,
At only one Shilling per Yard!
MOURNING GOODS.
Plain and Watered Black Grenadines, Bareges, Tissues, M. de Laines, Lupin Bombazines, Canton Cloths, Silk Wash Alpaccas, Black Canton Crapes, India Black, and White Silks, English Crapes, and all the numerous articles required in mourning.
MANTILLAS, SHAWLS, &c.
Elegant new Styles Paris Mantillas from Slingerland & McFarland's Paris Mantilla Establishment, Broadway, N. Y. Splendid application Scarf Mantillas.
Splendid Shell Pattern Mantillas.
do Paris Lace do
do Empress Eugenie Camelion Silks.
Embroidered Lace Needle work, (Black Silk—at prices from $2,50 to $20,00)
Brocha Long and Square Shawls, Fine Printed Shawls, Printed and plain de Laines, Plain Thibet and Merino do, Embroidered and Plain White Shawls.
Camelion Silk and Fancy Summer Shawls and Scarfs in great variety.
HOSIERY, GLOVES & RIBBONS.
Ladies can always find at this establishment, the Largest Variety and most desirable styles in English, French and German, Ladies', Gent's and Children's Hose.
GLOVES.—Alexandre's and Rowen & McNamee's Extra best Light and Dark Kid Gloves, Silk

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MILWAUKEE:

FRIDAY:.....DECEMBER 16.

For President in 1856,
JOHN P. HALE, of New York.
FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
GEORGE W. JULIAN, of Indiana.

PUBLISHING THE LAWS.—The *Potosi Republican* says in regard to having the laws published in all the newspapers, "Perhaps the publication of such in *all* the papers would amount to a sum too great to ensure such an act being passed. If this be the case, would not their being published in one paper in each county answer the purpose? The laws then would be within the reach of as many as otherwise, and expense at least one third less." How they would be in the reach of as many, in Grant County, for instance, by being published in the *Potosi Republican*, as they would by being also published in the *Grant County Herald* and *Platteville American*, is more than we can divine.—General laws should be published in all the papers. Local laws in the papers of the localities affected by those laws. If it is important to have laws, it is important to make them known to the people.

The Fire in New-York,

Was more destructive than was at first reported. The Harpers' loss is $1,400,000. Insured for $200,000. Coolidge Brothers' loss $100,000—insured for the same amount. Other losses $60,500 more, making a total of $1,560,500 in the short space of one hour. The fire originated by a workman throwing a burning paper he had lighted his pipe with, into a vessel containing camphene, thinking it to be water.—There were 400 females employed in the establishment, who had to get out of the windows, as the flames spread into all parts of the building in a very few minutes. A Miss Ellen Totten jumped from a second story window and dislocated her hip and otherwise injured her so that she died. A great many thrilling incidents occurred in connection with the fire. It was estimated that 50,000 persons were present at the fire.

The loss falls heavily on the Harpers, and the authors. The works going through the press are irrecoverably lost. The best sheets of the magazine for January, on which unusual care had been expended, were destroyed—proof-sheets, manuscripts, and all. But they are determined to go ahead, and will have their magazine out by the first of January, if possible. Their account books, valuable papers, and stereotype plates are saved. Such a destructive fire is a public calamity.

RIPON HERALD.—We have received the first number of a paper bearing the above title, and edited by A. P. MAPES, and published by MAPES & ROOT, at Ripon, Fond du Lac Co. It is printed with new type, purchased of Messrs. KING & CO. of this city, is a six column paper, democratic in politics, and makes a very neat appearance. It says it shall be liberal in politics, but as this is the same stereotyped song, sung in the salutatory of every new Hunker sheet—however bitter a partizan it may become afterward—we put but little faith in the declaration. We hope however, that, in this respect, this paper may prove an exception to the general rule.

CONNECTICUT.—The Free Democracy have nominated John Hooker, of Hartford, for Governor; Wm. Alexander, of Killingly, for Lieut. Governor; David Lyman, of Middletown, for Secretary of State; Amos Townsend, Jr., of New Haven, for Treasurer; and Rollin L. Beecher, of Winsted, for Controller—all good and true men. Francis Gillette declined a renomination for Governor. Connecticut is a hard State. It is well enough to have a book stereotyped after all the emendations are made, but, as Dr. Jewett said, Connecticut is a plate that was stereotyped before they had *corrected* the *proofs*.

ANTIOCH COLLEGE—of which Horace Mann is President—numbers among its Professors four Christians, two Unitarians, one Baptist, and one Dutch Reformed. The Christians are very much like the Unitarians in their faith, and are quite a numerous denomination in Ohio and Kentucky. They have raised $150,000 for the endowment of the College. It needs $100,000 more—$50,000 to pay for buildings and apparatus, and $50,000 for Professorships. This last sum it proposes to raise by the sale of scholarships, at $100 apiece.

WASHINGTON.—The rumors are that Jefferson Davis is to be elected to the U. S. Senate from Mississippi, and a Compromise Southerner is to take his place as Secretary. That Houston is to be chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means. Senator Chase is this year on the Committees, but Sanator Sumner is not. Slavery has no regard for Sovereign States.

THE Printing Establishment of the *Buffalo Republic* is offered for sale. It is a very large establishment and has three power presses, a card press, three hand presses, engine, boiler, machinery, 350 fonts of job type, a large quantity of type for news and book work, has a large circulation and business, and the confidence of the Administration. The whole or half the interest will be sold.

THE Papal Nuncio, Bedini, was grossly insulted at Pittsburgh, by some rowdy ruffians, returning from service with Bishop O'Connor, last Sunday. Mayor Riddle informed the Bishop, by letter, during Mass, that complaints were made that the Sabbath was violated by firing of cannon, music, &c. The Bishop replied that such demonstrations were without his knowledge or approval.

ROCK ISLAND RAILROAD.—Next Monday the trains on the Rock Island (Ill.) Road commence running to Geneseo, within 22 miles of Rock Island, on the Mississippi.

THE POLITICIAN.—The following brief and truthful delineation of "The Politician," we clip from the New Berlin (N. Y.) *Saturday Visitor:*

"There is something in the very name of politician that conveys an idea of crouching, jugling and brow-beating. Our politician is generally a man of slim means, of not over good habits, a great quarreler, and rather cowardly than courageous, and much addicted to some favorite old drink. He is not a domestic man.—The holy and salutary influences of family are lost upon him. He lives in the ale-room, and other public places. He bets at the elections, swears about the opposite party, and sometimes, when under the power of exhilarating potations, attempts a classical allusion. He is always in debt, makes large promises to his creditors; boasts to his friends, and abuses his enemies.—He is ignorant with respect to everything useful, lazy in an incredible degree; but has an itching palm for 'public plunder.' Yet the politician manages to get office."

The politician seldom pays for his paper, and sometimes is put on the black list.

TESTIMONIAL.—The employés of Henry Martin, late Superintendent of the Buffalo and Rochester Railroad, have procured a large and beautifully-finished Silver Pitcher and a Silver Tobacco-Box, the latter inlaid with gold, which they design presenting to that gentleman. The following is handsomely engraved upon each article:

Presented by the employés of the
Buffalo and Rochester Railroad Company, to
Henry Martin, Esq.,
their late Superintendent.

The cost of the articles is $275.

SAD ACCIDENT.—Near La Crosse, on the 28th ult., Mr. J. B. Fletcher and wife, with two of their children (boys), one 15 and the other 6 years old, were upset while crossing Pine Creek in a boat, and Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher drowned. The oldest boy succeeded in getting hold of the boat, and saved his brother with the aid of one of the oars. There are six children in the family, and the oldest is but 15 years of age. They are left friendless.

A MONSTER tunnel is now in course of construction near Cincinnati, Ohio, on the route of what is called the Short Line Railroad. The tunnel proper will be 8004 feet in length, or with its approaches, which are to be arched, 10,011 feet. It will be 29 feet wide and 23 feet high.

MARY O'BRIEN was recently committed to the Chicago jail for attempting to kill an infant of one of her neighbors while it was lying in the cradle. She beat the child's head and face with a stick of wood frightfully. Rum had infuriated her brain.

GEOGRAPHY.—Geographically, says Dr. J., Connecticut is set on four thin fourpences turned up edgewise, so that the least jostling will tottle it over. That is what makes the people there so much afraid of agitation. Their foundation—the fourpences—might fall.

THE STRIPED PIG is being exhibited in Michigan. Crackers are sold in a back room at a high price, but the landlord warns his guests not to touch the liquor standing by, as that is not to be sold or given away.

THE total value of the produce, cattle, &c., shipped from Wyalusing, Grant Co., from March 26th to Nov. 25th, was $14,484 72; bushels of oats shipped from that point, 10,383; wheat, 9,104; barley, 4,560.

MIKE WALSH'S enemies are going to try to oust him from his seat in Congress, on the ground of his being an alien. They propose to prove that he was born and baptized in Ireland, and has never been naturalized.

THE Middletown (Md.) Whig, says that community has been visited by a singular disease, which baffles the medical faculty. It is that of sore eyes, appearing to be contagious, whole families becoming afflicted with it.

MR. SHARP, the business manager of the Cin. Daily Enquirer, has been appointed to the highly responsible post of Mail Agent, between New York and San Francisco.

THE number of prisoners in the Illinois Penitentiary, on the 5th of December, was 259.—Dr. R. L. Metcalf has been appointed the prison physician.

WELSH NEWSPAPER.—A new Welsh paper has recently been started at Utica, N. Y., called the "*Gweliydd Americanaidd.*" Phœbus! what a name!

THE BAR of La Crosse held a meeting on the 24th ult., to pay a token of respect to the memory of Chas. T. Jansen, a member of the La Crosse Bar, who recently departed this life.

HEALTH OF NEW ORLEANS.—The Mayor of New Orleans has published a card, stating that the health of that city was never better than at present.

A LARGE mass of rock fell from the railroad tunnel near Stanton, Va., recently, killing two Irishmem, and injuring five more.

PORK-PACKING.—The number of hogs packed at Louisville this season is estimated at 525,000. Hogs bring $4 20@4 25 ℔ 100 ℔s.

FAST MAIL.—The editor of the *Grant Co. Herald* received a letter on the 7th inst. postmarked Hudson, Wis., Nov. 18—19 days.

THE Report of the Impeachment Trial is for sale in pamphlet form at the Madison *Argus* office, for 20 cents a copy, or $2,00 a dozen.

H. W. LANG, of Johnstown, Rock Co., raised this year, on one and a half rods of ground, 21 bushels of beets and carrots.

GREEN CO. JAIL is tenantless. Wisconsin jails are getting to be lonely places.

THE *Monroe Sentinel* is in favor of incorporating that village.

ERIE UNDER BAN.—Yesterday, when we passed over the road, the coaches of the Company conveyed passengers "over the isthmus" seven and a half miles, from Harbor Creek to the Erie Depot, the Erie hacks and wagons returning home empty, the indignant passengers refusing to ride in them, and also refusing to take supper at the Erie eating house. We trust all passengers will hereafter pursue the same course. They will find an excellent meal at Dunkirk, and the cars stop a sufficient time for all to enjoy it.—*Cleveland Herald, 13th.*

All right, and if all who travel over that road will pursue the same course towards the *bellicose* and lawless Erians they will soon be glad to come to terms.

For the Free Democrat.

A STORY FOR CARRIE.

A baby is always an object of interest to a kind-hearted, loving little girl, so I will tel you something about a baby that would have been three hundred and twenty years old last September, if she had been living.

The wardrobe of babies in those days was somewhat different from ours; for babies now wear no kirtle, fore-smocks, rails, mufflers, body-stitchers or biggins. But a mother's love was as strong, and her embrace as tender then as now.

The babe of whom I write, slept on the arm of a beautiful young mother, with the palm of its tiny hand prest on her pale face, and its touch was softer than that of the delicate velvet rose leaf. You have seen, on some bright summer morning, the perfumed dew rising from a bed of rose, and, as it floated away toward the blue sky, kiss the lips of the delicate lily; but sweeter far was that baby's breath on its mother's brow, and stranger wonder filled her mind as she counted the rapid pulsations of its little heart; and she prest it all the closer to her anxious breast, and said—"Fly not so fast, my little heart; my little humming-bird, fly not so fast! Stay, oh, stay with me forever!" So they slept sweetly, the mother and the baby, that night and the two nights following.

But when the babe was four days old, there was a great sounding of trumpets, a solemn *Te Deum* was sung, and the child was given in baptism to Him who hath said, "Suffer little children to come unto me." She was carried in the arms of her great-grandmother, under a canopy that was borne up by several men, and she was dressed in purple velvet, with a train of ermine. The chrisom, or cloth for her face, was ornamented with jewels and precious stones. At this time she received several presents. Among them was a gold cup with jewels on it, to drink her porridge from, and a golden bowl to eat her milk and bread from; for in those days a light diet was thought to conduce to the health and strength of children.

This child's father said that he would not endure a baby in his house; so he furnished a separate house for her, and provided her with two governesses, (the name of one was Mrs. Bryan,) and eleven attendants.

Before our little girl was three years old her mother died through the great cruelty and wickedness of her father. When she was four years old she had a little half brother, whom they called Edward. She was present at his baptism, and walked up the solemn aisle with the bearing of a queen. She wore a tiara of mother of pearl and diamonds above her graceful ringlets; for graceful they were, although they were more red than golden. In her own little hand she carried the Chrisom. She loved her little brother better than sisters usually love their brothers, and they certainly love them well enough.

But to whom else should the little motherless, and worse than fatherless cling? She made and worked a cambric shirt and presented it to Edward on his second birth-day. As a great favor to the little girl her brother was allowed to live with her. She became a favorite with her step mother, and was often allowed near her person, and a seat opposite her at table.

Our little girl read the Holy Scriptures and religious books every morning with her brother, and she studied history three hours every day. When she was eleven years old she spoke Italian, Spanish, French and Flemish, and she worked flowers and animals very prettily on crimson satin, with gold, silver, purple and Syrian blue thread.

But, with all her industry, the little girl did not neglect healthful exercise in the open air. She practiced shooting with Edward, and also horsemanship. She loved the larger kind of flowers, and particularly the large trees in her walking grounds; and she caused a ladder to be constructed to use in climbing them, to watch the little feathered architects while preparing their homes. The rounds of her ladder were of ebony, ivory and gold. Her favorite tree was a large mulberry. It was called the little girl's tree.

A hunting entertainment was given for her amusement. The animal to be hunted was the hart. Twenty men accompanied her, dressed in green, on firey steeds, and twelve ladies dressed in white satin, on ambling white palfreys.—The young girl carried a silver-headed arrow, winged with peacock's feathers. And when the tired animal paused before his pursuers, the honor of cutting its throat was conferred on her, for whom the entertainment was given.

When this girl was fourteen years her father died, and when Edward was sixteen, he died of consumption. At one time a prison was her home. A very little child daily carried flowers to her, and another one gave her the keys, saying—"Do unlock the doors and go out; you need not stay here." That, she would not do, but ever loved children for their sakes. Once she went bravely and fearlessly into the army, as commander-in-chief.

This lady dressed plainly in her youth; but at her death, when she was seventy, she left three thousand costly dresses, and eighty wigs of various colors. To her the Protestant religion owes much, very much.

Now the little baby has become an old woman. Would not you like to know her name? Elizabeth of England! or, Queen Bess, as she is sometimes called. Her mother was the beautiful Anne Boylen, and her father the wicked King, Henry Eighth.

A. P. C.

☞ The Buffalo *Express* intimates that, if Wisconsin hasn't a Lunatic Asylum, she ought to have one. Certainly, every State needs *one*, and those possessing as many elements of insanity and distraction, as New-York, ought to have five or six at least.—*Mil. Free Democrat.*

The "elements of insanity and distraction" to which our cotemporary refers, are, undoubtedly, those which are so powerfully evinced in the doings of certain "strong-minded" beauties with which and whom the editor of the *Democrat* sympathises so deeply. If these things continue he need not fear but what we shall need as many Lunatic Asylums as his figures involve.—*Buffalo Express.*

The New-York "beauties," should they follow the example of their New-York brethren, would need caging, that's certain. They may be bad enough, for ought we know, but if they are in danger of lunacy, may Heaven have mercy on the men.

We understand that the examination of the two young men, arrested on the charge of firing the Cooper House, at Cooperstown, was concluded on Tuesday, and resulted in their acquittal.—*Norwich (N. Y.) Union.*

BY TELEGRAPH.

SPEED'S LINE.

Reported for the Daily Free Democrat.

RIOT AT LASALLE, ILL.

OTTAWA, ILL., Dec. 16.—The Sheriff returned this morning from Lasalle, with his posse and thirty-two prisoners, whom they arrested about midnight, on the scene of the riot.—They found the corpse of Mr. Story in a stable, shot, his head and face mangled and bruised in a most shocking manner. One other had been shot. Story, in his defense, had fired his revolver several times and wounded one Irishman, but not mortally. They fired on the Sheriff's force when they came up, but without effect. The fire was returned by some of Capt. Fisher's company; and, as is supposed, one man was killed and another wounded.

Some resistance was made by individuals when they were being disarmed, and one got his head hurt badly by a blow from a rifle. It was supposed the principal leaders had gone South on the train. A locomotive was started after them, with orders to bring them back, but were not heard from yet.

The Court is now in session, and the case will be laid before a special Grand Jury at once. We have no particulars of the origin of the riot.

In consequence of the line to Lasalle being out of order, we are unable to get the particulars.

Additional Particulars.

CHICAGO, Dec. 16, 2 P. M.—The riot in La Salle, last evening, is said to have originated in a determination on the part of the contractors to reduce the wages of the workmen. The Irishmen attacked the office of Mr. Story, one of the contractors, who, in his defense, shot one of them, wounding him slightly. They returned the fire, shooting Mr. S. through the head.

They also attempted to kill Mrs. Story and child, who, however, escaped.

It was said that Mr. Dunn, a foreman, had killed seven men on the opposite side of the river. This report, however, needs confirmation.

Green Bay News.*

The River still remains open, though navigation has closed.

The *Advocate*, burnt out Nov. 1st, has reappeared in a new and beautiful dress, and gives evidence of industry, ability and spirit. It was always a good newspaper, but thoroughly old Hunker. We clip from it the following:

ONEIDA PAYMENT.—Superintend't Heubschmann visited this place last Monday, and made the annual payment to the Oneidas, at their settlement on Duck Creek. He distributed near a thousand dollars among them.

THE FOX RIVER IMPROVEMENT COMPANY have about three hundred men at work between Kaukauna and lake Winnebago. The Company will employ, through the whole winter, as many men as can be placed on the work advantageously. The Company will soon locate their docks and warehouses at this end of the river. We are glad to notice the steady vigor with which this great improvement is prosecuted. Its completion will open a splendid highway into the heart of one of the richest and finest countries on this continent.

FLOUR TRADE.—For the first time, we believe, we have been able to produce flour enough for home consumption, and have some to send away. This year a large and profitable flour business has been carried on here. Mr. J. S. Fisk alone has purchased 1,600 barrels to ship abroad.

LUMBER BUSINESS.—Our magnificent and boundless forests of pine are alive with hardy, industrious men, engaged in getting out vast quantities of timber, and yet there is an urgent call for more laborers, at higher wages than was ever before offered. But notwithstanding this unusual activity, our prominent manufacturers express fears that the supply of logs will not be sufficient to meet their increasing demands for the coming season.

FIGHT WITH A DEER ON THE ICE.—Only about a quarter of a mile from the Astor House, while Master Charles Cotton was skating on Fox river, he saw a good sized deer, with spread antlers, laying on the ice, making desperate efforts to get up and run away. Charley quietly walked to his father's house took an ax, went back to the scene of hostilities, put on his skates and prepared for action. As he approached, the buck attempted to rise and pitch into him, but Charley returned the charges with well directed strokes from his weapon.—Once the exasperated animal succeeded in getting up, but after four or five heavy blows, the "stricken deer" lay lifeless at his conqueror's feet, a noble trophy for a boy ten years of age to bear away from the field of conflict.

The Advocate urges the importance of procuring two engines and organizing two fire Companies for Green Bay.

MALE BLOOMER.—The excitement about women wearing men's clothes has pretty well died off, but in lieu thereof creatures in the shape of men are now beginning to excite the pulic mind by assuming that almost indispensable article of ladies apparel—the shawl. Several old looking individuals, part feminine and part masculine, are seen parading the Avenue, wearing shawls of various hues. The petticoat now is only wanted to complete the figure.—Who, among our lady friends, will assist us in completing the dress of those "male bloomers."—*Washington Star.*

In regard to dress, our doctrine is, that any man or woman has a right to dress as he or she pleases, as long as no offense is committed against public decency. If a man chooses to wear a shawl—the common masculine garment at the East—he has a right to do so, and it is nobody's business.

The tyranny of Fashion is the worst, and, generally, the vilest under the sun. When Fashion learns to keep company with Decency and Good Morals, it will be time for her to turn up her prudish nose at the man who wears a shawl!

CHILD WITTICISMS.—'Edwin, about 8 years of age, was looking through the window, on a very dark night, and seemed for a long time absorbed in philosophical speculation.' At last, turning to his father, he asked: What is *dark?* meaning, of course, 'darkness.' His father wished to know *his* idea of it first; and the boy said that he thought it was '*little fine, black fuzz.*'

'A little fellow, weeping most piteously, was suddenly interrupted by some amusing occurrence. He hushed his cries for a moment; there was a struggle between smiles and tears; the train of thought was broken. 'Ma,' said he, resuming his snuffle, and wishing to have his cry out, 'Ma—ugh! ugh! ugh! *what was I crying about just now?*'—*Knickerbocker.*

We extract the following from a letter of late date, written by a friend residing at La Crosse:

"In my absence, Chas. T. Jansen, Esq., one of the oldest settlers of our village, a lawyer of good standing, had sickened and died; he was of very frail constitution and health; was married upon his death bed about one hour previous to his decease, to Miss Julia Beardslee, of this village.—*Potosi Rep.*

THE BOATS still run occasionally between Detroit and Buffalo.

LECTURES.—The Racine *Advocate* speaks highly of Mr. Mann's Lectures in that city.

MR. YOUNG, Consul to Curacoa, has been tendered a passage in the sloop-of-war Cyane.

THE potato crop is abundant in Ireland, and only partially affected by disease this season.

ELECTION NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE LA CROSSE AND M. R. R. CO., Milwaukee, Dec. 15, 1853.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS, for the Election of Directors of the La Crosse and Milwaukee Railroad Company, will be held at their Office in Milwaukee, on Wednesday, the 1st day of February next. The Poll will open at ten o'clock A. M., and close at four P. M.

dec15td LEVI BURNELL, Secretary.

EXCHANGE ON THE EAST.

ON AND AFTER THURSDAY, THE 15th OF DECEMBER, and until further notice, the selling rates of **Eastern Exchange** will be as follows:

FOR COIN, NEW ENGLAND, NEW YORK and MILWAUKEE CITY MONEY, ½ per cent premium.

ALL OTHER BANKABLE FUNDS, 1 per cent premium.

(Signed)
ALEX. MITCHELL, Pres't,
M. L. SCOTT, Cashier.
MARSHALL & ILSLEY.
WM. J. BELL, Pres't.
C. D. NASH, Cash'r.
KNEELAND & HILL.
G. PAPENDIEK & CO.

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NOTICE

IS hereby given to all persons interested that the time for payment of taxes for 1853, on personal property, expires on Friday, 16th inst. Now therefore unless said tax is paid on or before the said 16th inst., I shall proceed to collect the same by distress and sale as approved by law.

A. H. JOHNSTON, City Treasurer.

Milwaukee, Dec. 14, 1853. dec 14

MILWAUKEE COMMERCIAL RECORD.

Office of the Free Democrat, MILWAUKEE, DECEMBER 16, 1853.

Receipts light. Wheat declined; few if any sales were effected this morning at a higher figure than 87½c for the best winter; Spring 75@85.

Rye 50@52. Barley 38@45.

Hogs advanced and receipts small—worth $4@4,12½.

Railroad Receipts Yesterday.

1166 bus. Wheat, 450 bus. Oats, 203 bus. Corn, 65 bus. Barley, 50 bus. Potatoes, 35 bbls. Flour, 10 Hogs.

Another Juvenile Exhibition!

OF THE PANROAMAS OF

IRELAND & NIAGARA FALLS,

For the accommodation of SCHOOLS AND FAMILIES who cannot attend at night, will take place at

METROPOLITAN HALL!

On Saturday, Dec. 17, at 2 o'clock P. M.

☞ Children Admission 10 cts.—Adults 25 cents.

☞ Teachers coming with their Pupils admitted free.

☞ The Exhibition on this occasion will be in every respect as same as at night. The Entertainment will conclude with the laughable scene of The Schoolmaster.

Milwaukee, Dec. 16, 1853. dec16

MILLINERY AND DRESS-MAKING!

S. A. CARROLL, No. 16 Wisconsin Street,

HAS JUST RECEIVED from New-York the latest and most approved styles for Cloaks, Dresses, and Bonnets, to which she respectfully invites the attention of her numerous patrons, and the ladies generally, satisfied that she can, by her earnest endeavors, please the most fastidious. A choice assortment of Feathers, Flowers, and Bonnet Silks, on hand.

S. A. CARROLL is prepared to teach the improved plan of Dress Cutting as taught by Mrs. FOWLER. For terms inquire at No. 16 Wisconsin Street.

Milwaukee, Dec. 16, 1853. dec16

ROWE & CO.'S OYSTER DEPOT,

BASEMENT OF PHŒNIX BUILDING, DIRECTLY UNDER THE TELEGRAPH OFFICE.

The Subscribers are Sole Agents for this City and State for the sale of the *famous Oysters of Rowe & Co.*, of New Haven, Conn., and intend keeping a full supply. Those in want of large or small quantities, may be sure to find them here, warranted in good order, as we receive shipments direct from head-quarters, every other day.

☞ Remember, that while these Oysters are warranted to be as good as the best, they are to be sold as cheap as the cheapest.

☞ Country dealers and teamsters are particularly invited to give us a call. KENNEDY & BELDEN.

Milwaukee, Dec. 14, 1853. dec16tf

BEAUTIFUL PRESENTS

FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS!!

MAY BE FOUND AT

H. P. PECK'S,

140 United States Block, East Water St.,

—MILWAUKEE—

COMPRISING the largest and richest assortment of

Embroideries,	Ladies' Cloth Talmas,
Laces,	Shawls,
Mantillas,	Hosiery,
Dress Goods,	Worsted Goods, &c.,

in Wisconsin.

Embroideries and Laces for Presents.

Lace and Muslin Embroidered Capes, Berthes, Lace Points, Valenciennes, Horiton, Maltese, Maline, English Thread and Muslin Collars, Undersleeves, Muslin and Cambric Bands, rich embroidered and plain Linen Cambric Hdkfs, with a great variety of Fine Needlework and Laces, all at LOW PRICES.

RICH DRESS GOODS,

Rich Plaid, Carnelian and Brocade Silks, elegant high colors, mode and black, plain and figured, Canton Dress Crapes, Merino Plaids, Francois de Picardies Imperial French Merinos, Cashmeres and De Laines, with a beautiful assortment of Evening Dress Goods.

Black Silks.

Plain and Watered Black Silks, which have gained the reputation of being the most perfect Silks to wear, having a mellow softness and beautiful lustre.

MOURNING GOODS.

Plain and Watered Black Grenadines, Barege, Tissues, M. de Laines, Lupins, Bombazines, Canton Cloths, Silk Wash Alpacas, Black Cotton Crapes, India Black and White Silks, English Crapes, and all the numerous articles required in mourning.

Broadcloth Talmas, Shawls, &c.

Elegant New Styles Cloaks, Shawls and Mantillas, Empress Louise Opera Mantillas, Lace and Silk, Ladies' Cloth and col'd Silk Velvets for Talmas and Cloaks.

Hosiery, Gloves & Ribbons.

Ladies can always find at this establishment, the **Largest Variety** and most desirable styles in English, French and German, Ladies', Gent's and Children's Hose.

Alexander's and Bowen & McNamee's Extra best Light and Dark Kid Gloves. Silk Lisle Thread, Black nett Gloves and Mitts for Ladies and Children.

WHITE GOODS.

Embroidered, Colored and White Dress Muslins, fine Swiss, India, Book, Soft Mull, Bishop Lawns and Jaconet Cambrics.

FINE FLANNELS.

Ladies can always find the finest and most select qualities of superfine *Real Welsh*, Gauze, Silk and Saxony, white and colored, 3-4, 4-4 and 5-4 widths. Colored Royal, Silesian flannels, for Ladies' Sacks.

HOUSE FURNISHING ARTICLES.

Linens of the most celebrated manufacture—Richardson's, Nicholson's and Hunter's best qualities, and customers can rely on finding the pure, genuine article, comprising 4-4 ironing Linens, Shirting, 5-4 Pillow case do. 8-4 10-4 and 12-4 Linen Sheetings, Superfine Table Damask and Cloths, 6, 8, 10 and 12-4 widths, white and brown; also Allendale 10-4, brown and bleached Cottons and Pillow Case; Huckaback, Crash, brown and bleached; Scotch, Russia and Bird's Eye Diaper and Toweling; brown and bleached Damask Doyles and Napkins; Piano and Table Covers, Broadcloth, Worsted and Cotton; Worsted Damask and Watered Mohrens, Turkey Red plain and printed Curtain Dimities; 10-4, 12-4 Counterpanes and Quilts; Cords and Tassels, Buff Linens, 4-4 and 5-4, for Window Shades. It is the intention of the subscriber to keep a full assortment of the numerous articles required in his line of Housekeeping Goods.

CLOTHS.

Cassimeres, Broadcloths, Satinetts, Tweeds, &c.

DOMESTIC GOODS.

This department will be continually supplied with the best quality and styles of brown and bleached Shirtings, Shirting Stripes, Denims, Blue Drills, Apron Checks, Nankeens, Drills, Ticklings, Flannels, Cotton Yarn and Warp, Batting, Wadding, &c., with a great variety and styles of

Domestic Ginghams, Prints and Calicoes.

Also, a LARGE STOCK of

CARPETINGS, DRUGGETS, RUGS, DOOR MATS AND OIL CLOTHS.

Tapestry Velvet, Brussels, Hand Loom, Ingrain, Three-Ply and Two-Ply Carpets, 4-4, 5-4 and 6-4 India Mattings, Floor Oil Cloths, all widths. The Medal Prize Patterns from the World's Fair, *may be seen* at

dec16 H. P. PECK'S, 140 East Water-st.

TWO FOUNDRYMEN.—A NO. 1 ARTICLE OF LEHIGH COAL, for sale at the Eagle Foundry.

dec8 (16) TURTON & SERCOMB.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Howard Life Insurance Company,
OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK.

THE undersigned is agent for the above company, office on Wisconsin street, next door to the Milwaukee Bank. JAMES P. GRAVES.

BENNETT & CO.
PIANO FORTE WARE ROOMS
361, BROADWAY,
Manufacory 311, 313 & 315, *Livingston-st.*, N. Y.
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DR. H. G. YUNK,
DENTIST.
Over Drs. LAKE & OTTON's Drug Store, Clinton street, Walker's Point, Milwaukee.

MINER & FARIES,
PRACTICAL DENTISTS.
Office 139 Wisconsin street.

S. B. BURNHAM, M. D.
DENTIST,
ARCADE BUILDING,
No. 171½ East Water street, Milwaukee.

SAMUEL MARSHALL.....CHARLES ILSLEY.
MARSHALL & ILSLEY, Bankers, in "Furlong's New Block," corner of Water and Huron streets, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
☞ **Exchange on England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales, constantly on hand.**

THE STATE BANK OF WISCONSIN is now prepared to do business under the Banking Law of the State. Exchange on principal Cities of the Union at current rates. Special rates of interest allowed on deposites.

my21 M. S. SCOTT, Cash'r.

WISCONSIN DIVISION No. 1, Sons of Temperance, hold their meetings Tuesday evenings, at 8 o'clock P. M., in 3d story of Jameson's Block.

LAND OFFICE.

7,000 ACRES of GOOD LAND, entered three and four years ago for *cheap farms*, in different parts of Wisconsin. For sale by the acre or entire tracts to suit purchasers, on time, for cash, *Land Warrants* or city property.

☞ A good team and agent in readiness to accompany chasers and exhibit the lands when desired. Office at Ludington's Block. W. P. FLANDERS.

Milwaukee, April 6, 1853. ap[illegible]

E. D. HOLTON.....N. A. MILLERD.

HOLTON & MILLERD,
LAND AND COLLECTING AGENTS,
Offices, Nos. 11 & 13 Spring st., corner Broadway, Milwaukee.

☞ Real estate in city and country for sale. Lands bought and sold on commission, and collections made.

NORMAN A. MILLERD,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law, and Notary Public,
Milwaukee, November 16, 1853. no16d1y

J. F. BIRCHARD,
No. 21 Spring street.
MANUFACTURER, and Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Cabinet Ware, Sofas, Chairs, Looking Glasses, and Best Common Mattrasses. His extensive Warerooms are at No. 21 Spring street, three doors east of the American Hotel, Milwaukee.
J. F. BIRCHARD. [jy29dw1
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DUNNELS & BUTTERFIELD,
157 East Water Street,
HAVE now in store one of the best stocks of **Boots and Shoes** ever offered in this city, which they will sell at extremely low prices. They have no *old* established Boot at the door to attract notice, but a **Mammoth Stock** in doors, thinking *please remember the No.*, **157.**

July 27, 1853. jy[illegible]

WISCONSIN LEATHER COMPANY.
DEALERS IN
Hides, Leather, Shoe-Findings, Oils, &c.
No. 80 East Water Street, - - Milwaukee.

☞ The Company have an extensive Tannery in operation at Two Rivers, and can safely challenge competition in *quantity or quality* of stock. They also keep a full supply of eastern stock, at eastern prices.

☞ The highest price in cash paid for Hide, Skins and Pelts, at No. 80 East Water street. my[illegible]

BROWN'S DAGUERREIANGALLERY. Just received on *Number 200, East Water street*, (Martin's Block,) 800 plain cases, 300 beautiful inlaid, oval velvet and shell cases, and fifty gold Lockets, in which good pictures will be put for those who may favor Mr. Brown with their custom. Holes recently discovered and perfected an improvement in the chemical process, which imparts to a picture, a beauty, life, and *tone*, far superior to that possessed by Daguerreotypes generally. Its light is arranged on scientific and artistic principles, as taught and practised by Sully, Allston and other distinguished artists. The new Illuminated Crayon pictures, taken as elegantly as in New York or Philadelphia.

N. B.—Particular attention paid to taking pictures of children and family Groups. ap[illegible]dly

1853.
KELLOGG & STRONG,
Storage, Forwarding and Commission
MERCHANTS,
AT THE MIDDLE PIER, FOOT OF HURON-ST.
and Warehouse on the River, foot of Jefferson-S
Agents for Clement's Line of Steamers on Lake Michigan, and the following lines on Erie Canal:
American Transportation Company,
Western Transportation Company,
Clinton Line.
☞ Merchandize consigned to us will be delivered with dispatch. my[illegible]

J. W. HASKIN,
PRODUCE, FORWARDING AND COMMISSION
MERCHANT,
At the Chequered Warehouse, near the foot of
EAST WATER STREET,
MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN.

HAVING a commodious Ware-House, advantageously located, we are prepared to transact every variety of business with promptness and dispatch; and liberal Cash advances will be made, if desired, on property in store, for sale or shipment. We are prepared to contract freights to and from Boston and New York, at the lowest rates.

Please call on us before completing business arrangements.

J. W. HASKIN,
mar12-d1yr J. BADLEY.

NEW STORAGE, FORWARDING,
AND
COMMISSION HOUSE.
NICHOLS, BRITT & Co.,

HAVING just completed their WAREHOUSE located on the NORTH SIDE OF THE RIVER, between East Water and Main Streets, are now prepared to transact any branch of the above business upon as fair and liberal terms as can be done by any other house in this city.

Goods for the City or Country consigned to us will receive PROMPT ATTENTION. We also engage to obtain the *highest market prices for Property* sent us for sale in this Market.

We have in connection, a COAL YARD, where we will sell as good an article of Coal, at as low rates as can be had in the city.

Coarse, Fine and Dairy Salt, Water Lime, Dried Fruit, Cheese, &c., &c., constantly on hand.

We hope by personal and prompt attention to receive a liberal share of patronage.

REFERENCES:
ALEX. MITCHELL, Pres't Wis. M. & F. Ins. Co. Bank.
E. CRAMER, Pres't State Bank of Wisconsin.
D. FERGUSON, Cashier Wis. M. & Fire Ins. Co. Bank.

M. S. NICHOLS.
O. E. BRITT.
Milwaukee, June 1, 1853—d1y H. A. NICHOLS.

M. N. HEMPSTED'S
MUSIC STORE,
No. 175 East Water-Street, - Milwaukee.

☞ MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS of all kinds; Sheet Music; New Music received weekly; Italian Strings of the best quality; Instruction Books for all the different instruments; Prince & Co.'s celebrated Melodeons.

☞ PIANO FORTES *from the most celebrated Manufactories in the United States.*

☞ Everything in the Music line constantly on hand and for sale at reasonable prices. oct[illegible]

DAILY DEMOCRAT.

C. D. BOOTH, Local Editor.

FRIDAY.....DECEMBER 16.

☞ Those who want to make known what they have to sell, to people in town or country, will advertise in the FREE DEMOCRAT, as this Paper has an extensive circulation. Short stories, and to the point. ☞ Send in your orders before 8 a. m., to appear in afternoon paper. Terms reasonable.

☞ WOOD!—WOOD!—Those who are desirous of paying for the *Free Democrat* in WOOD, will bring it along as soon as possible. decll tf

Local, Miscellaneous, News, &c.

☞ For Miscellany, &c., see 1st and 4th pages.

See advertisement of Mrs. CARROLL'S fancy establishment.

FANCY GOODS.—When purchasers have wanted a fine article and nice, and been unable to get it, it is quite common to hear their friends say—"Have you been at PECK'S?" That is the whole story, save what is told in his advertisement of to-day.

OYSTERS.—We have tried KENNEDY & JOHN'S, and find them equal to their recommendation. See advertisement.

PANORAMA OF IRELAND.—We understand there was a large crowd to witness the exhibition of the Panorama of Ireland, and the musical performances of the McENOY children at Metropolitan Hall last evening. An exhibition will be given to-morrow evening.

ASSESSOR.—At a meeting of the Common Council last evening, an ordinance was passed regulating the sale of wood and hay, and R. W. Ryan was appointed Inspector. A good selection.

CASTING.—Messrs. LEE & CO., of the Menomonee Foundry, have contracted to cast a new cylinder for the propeller *Westmoreland*—the old one having been twisted recently. The new will weigh 2,400 pounds. The cost of casting the *Westmoreland* will be $1,500.

Large Casting.

Free Democrat:

We hope that Messrs. LEE & CO., or their friends in the Milwaukee Sentinel of this morning, will be more correct in regard to the heaviest casting ever made in Milwaukee, as Messrs. TURTON & SERCOMB have made one over 9000 lbs. This is to let the public know that Milwaukee is not so small a place as the above would represent it.

TURTON & SERCOMB.

Police Court.

A German, named Frank Wetman, was tried yesterday afternoon for an assault and battery on a woman, named Frederika Feetger. It appeared that defendant threw down Mrs. F., and drag her some distance on the ground by the hair—that her daughter and a man named Kopp came to her assistance, and released her from the grasp of the villain. The defendant was fined five dollars and costs, and failing to pay which an execution was issued against the goods.

Nothing done at the Court this morning.

RELEASED.—Rosetta Lindsay, who has been confined in jail some ten days in consequence of inability to give bonds to keep the peace, was released from confinement yesterday—her friend becoming security for her.

COL. BENTON IN THE HALL.—The Colonel appears to be ready in his glory. His seat (which he occupies by courtesy, (it is due to the members of the House to mention,) is one of the most conspicuous in the chamber, affording capital opportunities to a gentleman disposed to attitudinize. His fine figure and really handsome countenance, (for he is remarkably good looking for his age,) set it off to a charm; lending much indeed to the effect of a peep at the House in session. We cannot do justice to the way in which he appears in his place. We can compare it to nothing short of Monsieur Jullien, amid his grand orchestra, when, tired of flourishing the baton, he reclines back and gives an air of satisfaction with the sensation which his genius has created, and that is perfectly indescribable on paper.—*Washington Sun.*

THE SUPREME COURT.—The Attorney General made a motion yesterday afternoon, to vacate the judgement in the case of Ryan vs. The State, by which $3000 was awarded to Ryan for his services in the impeachment case. The motion was made on the ground that the trial was had during his absence, and without any notice to him of the time or place of holding it. Perhaps this motion was made in good faith, but it has, just at this time, a decidedly Greenbush appearance—*Madison Jour.*

A CURIOSITY.—One of the most astonishing curiosities ever exhibited in this country, is now to be seen at the City Hall, Baltimore. It is the body of a man found buried six feet in sand, on the island of Ichaboe. It is petrified and turned to a stone, retaining all the minute features of a perfect specimen of humanity.—It has been examined by physicians and scientific men, and pronounced one of the most marvellous subjects ever witnessed.

That large region west of Patch Grove known as "*the Timber*," there were no improvements worth the name previous to 1856. Forty thirty bushels of wheat were raised that year. As a small item in the progress of improvements going on in that quarter, we are told that Mr. Joachim Broadt has threshed with his machine, about 5000 bushels of wheat this fall, and that there are yet a few small lots to be threshed.—*Grant Co. Herald.*

MAINE LAW IN CANADA.—The Montreal Witness, a friend in the cause of Temperance has notified Mr Ure, Secretary of the Upper Canada League, of his readiness to give £25 if twenty persons can be found to give the same sum, or to be one of ten to give £50, or one of five to give £100 towards the Temperance lecturers to agitate in different parts of the country in favor of the Maine Law.

Accident on the Lake Shore Railroad.—A despatch to the Cleveland Herald, dated at Westfield, Monday noon, Dec. 12th says:

"The passenger cars of the Cleveland train ran over a cow, west of Dunkirk, upsetting the cars down an embankment of fifteen feet. Five or six persons were badly injured, but none fatally. The train came on."

STRANGE VISITOR.—A large black Bear, weighing some *three hundred* pounds, was killed on Friday last, by John B. Yendes, on his farm about four miles south of this village.—This is the only animal of the kind, we believe, that has been seen in this vicinity for many years. It had evidently traveled a goodly distance, for we understand it was not in very high flesh.—*Delaware (N. Y.) Gazette, Dec. 7th.*

The editor of the Wisconsin *Banner*, repudiates the idea of accepting any office about the Capitol, under the incoming Administration.—*Madison Jour.*

Mr. Mayo's Lecture

Was well attended last evening, though not by so large an audience as was Mr. MANN'S. The true end of literature, to teach us to live a true life, was well stated, as was also the inability of the greatest writers to express their highest and best thoughts. There are thoughts and feelings in every pure-minded and reflecting soul, too deep and holy for utterance—which are never revealed to the dearest friend.

His criticisms on authors were also, in the main, just, though we think him too much inclined to canonize the dead, and wanting in reverence for the living. If it be difficult to make Jack Falstaff square with the catechism, Shakspeare must be liable to some of the censure visited on modern writers. The truth is, we are all taught to reverence the past, and this feeling, in part, grows out of our respect for age, and has its foundation in nature. It is the tribute we pay to the wisdom gained by the lessons of *experience*. But this feeling may, and often does, lead us astray. It is opposed to all innovations, and is often a serious obstacle to improvement. It is the bulwark of ignorance and superstition, and made Gallileo swear to the falsehood that the earth was stationary and central, and that the sun and planets revolved around it.

We would not detract anything from the merits of Shakspeare or Milton, or any of the old authors, by whom our Literature-and-Life, peripateric Instructors of the People, so love to swear, while they decry modern authorship.—But we cannot forget that Shakspeare and Milton, and most of the great names in the calendar of literary saints, were neglected, if not rejected prophets, in their own generation, and that the mists of time were necessary to obscure their faults and magnify their virtues, before they were fit for canonization. Nor do we believe the greatest men or the greatest writers have yet appeared. The highest achievements of the drama have not been reached by Shakspeare, nor the loftiest song nor the sublimest morality by Milton. Isaiah and David yet surpass Shakspeare and Homer and Milton; and the ethics of the Sermon on the Mount are purer and more refreshing than the writings of Bacon, Locke, or the stern prose moralities of Milton. And in the fuller and higher and more perfect development of the race, we may look for a better teacher and delineator of human nature than Shakspeare—one who will stir deeper the fountains of laughter and tears—and for a sublimer song than the blind poet ever sung. We do not despair of the race, or believe the past is better than—or as good as—the present. And we do not sympathize with that state of mind which always thinks the old better than the new.

To-morrow, we will notice Mr. MAYO'S criticisms on periodical and newspaper literature.

THE CARAWAN TRAGEDY.—*Further particulars.*—We went to press last week amidst great excitement occasioned by the attempt of the murderer Carawan to kill one of the counsel who appeared against him on the trial, and his shooting himself before the court and jury.

On being told that the jury had agreed upon a verdict, he simply remarked—"They have found against me." On passing out from the jail, he bade the wife of the jailor good bye, and when he stepped into the court room looked sterner and more undaunted than usual. He received the verdict of "guilty" without moving a muscle. The first that was seen of the pistol was just as the crowd commenced moving to leave the court room. He was pointing it at Mr. Warren, and at the same time fired. He let the pistol drop, thrust the hand into his bosom, drew out another pistol, and was in the act of putting it to his head, when Mr. Ainton seized his arm and drew it down upon the railing, Carawan leaning his head over till it touched the muzzle of the pistol, when he fired.

For some hours after his death, Carawan's countenance bore a most demonical appearance, but this gradually wore off.

On examination of his trunks, a curious medley was found—life of himself written whilst in prison, numerous letters, some of which disclose a damning tale; packages of powder and shot, a mixture just like that with which he killed Lassiter being in one of the bags; arsenic so carefully wrapped up as not to lead to mistake, and a phial of medicine such as, the Doctors say, one would not dream of finding in the possession of a clergyman.

Carawan has for years been pursuing a course of guilt and crime, the evidence of which will astonish even the believers in human depravity. The murder of the school master is not the first murder he has committed. How he managed to retain such a hold in the confidence and affection of so many friends, some of whom are the best men in the State, is a mystery to those who do not know with what fearful and wonderful gifts he was endowed.—*Washington (N. C.) Whig, 7th inst.*

Beloit Items.

On Friday last, there were counted in our streets at one time, 176 teams, loaded with grain and various articles of produce, a great proportion of them being in Turtle-st., which was literally blocked up. This number does not include those that were upon the depot grounds, or at the various mills and factories. At almost any time between 10 o'clock, a. m. and 3 p. m. there were considerably over 200 teams of loaded produce in streets. A striking contrast with the condition of business before the railroad was completed. And all sorts of business continues to improve daily.

A German named Geo. Meyer, last Sunday broke into the house of Mr. Silas Tasker, and stole $1,40. He made two attempts, it is said, to break into stores, also. On taking the money, he left with his wife for Janesville, where he was arrested. The money was mostly refunded, and both the man and woman were confined in jail.—*Beloit Jour.*

The Ancient "Papers."

Our citizens, one generation and another, have "taken the papers," and given them a good support. When they commenced, and what with, the following will show:

The first newspaper established in North America was the Boston News Letter, commenced April 24, 1704. It was half a sheet of paper, 12 inches by 8, two columns on a page. B. Green was the printer.

The second was the Boston Gazette, Dec. 21, 1719.

The third was the New England Courant, August 17, 1721.

The fourth was the New England Weekly Journal, March 20, 1727.

The fifth was the Weekly Rehearsal, Sept. 27, 1731, changed to the Boston Evening Post in 1735.

The sixth was the Boston Weekly Post Boy, Oct., 1734.

The seventh was the Independent Advertiser, Jan. 4, 1748.

The eighth was the Boston Gazette, Jan. 3, 1753.

The ninth was the Boston Gazette and Country Journal, April 7, 1757.

The tenth was the Boston Weekly Advertiser, Aug. 22, 1757.

The eleventh was the Boston Chronicle, Dec. 21, 1767. There were all the papers printed in Boston to the date of the Chronicle.

MILWAUKEE CITY BANK:
OF
KNEELAND & HULL,
—No. 217—
East Water Street, Milwaukee.

THIS BANK is engaged in the business of BANKING, in all its departments (except the issuing of bank-notes), and will always be prepared to purchase approved Business Paper, Bills, Bonds, Notes, Drafts, Bank Certificates, City, County and other Corporation Orders, &c., &c.

☞ *Interest paid on Deposites at the rate of Six Per Cent., subject to Check of Depositor without notice.*

☞ Money loaned to our customers IN ANY sums, and for any time, from one to ninety days.

Bills, Notes, &c., received for collection, and proceeds remitted at current rates.

Eastern and Southern sight and time Exchange always for sale, in sums to suit. Sept. 1st, 1853. (dac)

RATES OF EXCHANGE REDUCED!

STATE BANK OF WISCONSIN,
MILWAUKEE, 16th of August, 1853.

THIS BANK will, after this date, sell Exchange on New York and Boston, at the following rates:

For bills of the Banks in Milwaukee, Chicago, Detroit, New York and New England, and Coin, ½ per cent premium.

For all other currency, of Banks in good credit, receivable at par by the Banks in this city, 1 per cent premium.

☞ Sterling Bills on London, from £1 upward, constantly on hand and for sale at reasonable rates.

M. S. SCOTT, Cashier.

EXCHANGE ON NEW YORK AND BOSTON.

Wisconsin Marine & Fire Ins. Co. Bank,
MILWAUKEE, August 16th, 1853.

THIS BANK is now selling Exchange on New York and Boston at the following rates:

For currency consisting of bills of Wisconsin and Illinois Banks (except those of Milwaukee and Chicago), Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky and Virginia money, and bills of the Atlanta Bank, Georgia, 1 per cent premium.

For bills of Banks in the Cities of Milwaukee, Chicago and Detroit, and New York and New England money and coin, ½ per cent premium.

ALEX. MITCHELL, President.

ERIE & KALAMAZOO RAILROAD BANK,
ADRIAN, MICH.

THE UNDERSIGNED will receive on deposit, at their Banking Houses, the bills of the above named Bank *at par*

McCREA & BELL, Milwaukee, Wis.
McCREA, BELL & CO., Janesville.
McCREA, BELL & ULLMANN, Racine.
McCREA, BELL & BUTLER, Fond du Lac.
A. L. McCREA & CO., Sheboygan.

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G. PAPENDIEK & CO.,
BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS,
No. 210, East Water Street.

DRAFTS constantly for sale at the lowest current rates on
NEW YORK, BOSTON, BUFFALO,
CINCINNATI, CHICAGO, ETC.
Also on the following places in Europe:
Bremen, Hamburg, Frankfort, a. m. Leipzig, London, Paris, etc.

Six per cent p. a. interest allowed on deposits made for one month and longer.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Milwaukee, Nov. 26, 1853.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all interested, that the Tax Lists for the City of Milwaukee are now in my hands for the purpose of collecting the Taxes and Assessments levied and assessed in said city for the year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-Three, (1853,) and that I will receive at my office all taxes and assessments contained in said lists until the thirty-first (31st) day of December next.

Notice is further hereby given, that all personal taxes contained in said lists will be received by me, at my office, for twenty (20) days succeeding the first publication of this notice—at the expiration of which said twenty (20) days, I shall proceed to enforce the collection of such personal taxes as remain unpaid, according to law.

Notice is further hereby given, that I shall, on Monday, the 9th day of January next, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office, commence selling all lots, parts of lots, and tracts of lands contained in said tax lists for the year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-Three, (1853,) upon which such taxes and assessments remain unpaid, or so much thereof as will pay and satisfy all taxes which may be assessed thereon, together with all costs and charges which shall accrue, according to law, by advertisement and sale, and shall continue said sale from day to day, (Sundays excepted,) until all lots, parts of lots and tracts of lands on which such taxes remain unpaid, shall have been sold.

ALEXANDER H. JOHNSTON, City Treasurer.

☞ Office in Prentiss' Block, corner East Water and Mason Streets, over the Post Office. nov26

POST-OFFICE NOTICE.—This Office will open at 8 A. M. and close at 9 P. M., from and after this date until further notice.

J. A. NOONAN, P. M.
November 21, 1853. n19tf

L. P. SWIFT'S
TRANS-ATLANLIC PASSENGER LINE,
—AND—
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC EXCHANGE OFFICE,
165, 2d Floor, East Water-st., Milwaukee, Wis.

Through Passage Tickets, Direct from Ports of Great Britain, Ireland, Germany and France, without any delay in New York, to Chicago, Waukegan, Kenosha, Racine, Milwaukee and Sheboygan, For Sale.

PERSONS sending for their friends in the Old Country can procure of the undersigned, *Through* Passage orders, which will bring their friends direct from the Ports of England, Scotland, Ireland, Germany and France, or New York, to Chicago and other Ports on Lake Michigan as far north as Sheboygan, via N. Y. & Erie, and S. M. Railroad Lines, without even a day's detention or expense in New York.

Persons in the country towns and neighboring cities, desiring either First, Second, or Third Class Passage to or from New York, *or to New York and back*, or from the Old Country direct to Chicago and other Lake Towns, can be supplied with

Through, Down, and Return Tickets,

and *upon the return* of any *Ticket not used, the Purchase Price will be returned.*

This arrangement will save Passengers the time and annoyance in making change at the Ticket Offices of the Railroad Lines; and the arrangement for Through Orders and Tickets from the Old Country to this city, will save Emigrants from the delay, expense and impositions, that they usually incur and suffer, by coming out from the Old Country on passage orders that only bring them to New York, and leaving them to wait there for further sums of money from their friends at an expense, often fully equal to the cost of passage from New York to Chicago and other Lake Towns.

☞ Drafts for sale on the principal cities of Europe and the United States.

On England:
Messrs. Aubertin Bros., London. } Available in the principal cities and towns in England & Wales.
" Guion & Co., No. 2, Tower Chambers, Liverpool.

On Ireland:
Provincial Bank of Ireland & Branches, Dublin.

Continental Europe.

On France:
Messrs. Allicz, Grand & Co., Paris.

On Germany:
J. Langs, Sons, Widow & Co., Bremen.
J. Goll & Sons, Frankfort-on-the-Main.
Mendelssohn Bartholdy, Hamburg.
Mendelssohn & Co., Berlin.

On Sweden:
C. D. Arfwedsen, Stockholm.

On Norway:
Jacob Dybwad, Christiana.
H. Holland, Bergen.

☞ Money placed to the credit of R. K. Swift of Chicago, Illinois, with the Bank of British North America, London, or with the Provincial Bank of Ireland, Dublin, or with Messrs. Geo. S. Robbins & Son, 52 Wall-st., N. Y., or with any of the Bankers of the said R. K. Swift, in Europe or the United States, will be paid by me, to the proper person, on their advice.

☞ The undersigned, will also, (as agent) buy and sell Real Estate, Bonds and Mortgages, Notes, Stocks &c., procure and make Loans upon Real Estate in this and adjoining counties, for a moderate commission. Taxes paid in any part of the State, and Tax Titles settled on favorable terms.

L. P. SWIFT, Dealer in
Foreign and Domestic Exchange.
Milwaukee, July 22d, 1853. jy22-daw

BOOT AND SHOE STORE,
No. 116 East Water Street, Milwaukee.

THE SUBSCRIBER may now be found at his new place of business, No. 116 East Water st., opposite the new store of Durand & Lawrence.

Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon him, he hopes by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the patronage of his old friends, and to induce hosts of new ones to give him a call.

His stock of Boots and Shoes are all *his own manufacture*, and by employing good workmen, and using the best material, he feels confident that he can give perfect satisfaction to his customers.

☞ Remember the name and number.

oc21 H. FREEMAN, 116 East Water st.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Congressional.

WASHINGTON Dec. 14.—HOUSE—Mr. Bissel introduced a bill making grants of lands to States and Territories for the benefit of indigent persons—Referred.

Mr. Penn introduced the Homestead Bill, also a similar bill presented by Denson and Grow.

Numerous bills were presented, granting lands to railroads.

Mr. Boyce offered the following resolution: That in view of the large increasing surplus in the Treasury, duties on imports should be so imposed as only to raise such revenues for necessary administration of Government, and the duties should be so imposed as to equalize as much as possible the burdens of taxation to all classes and sections, and to secure the abstraction from the pockets of the people of as little as possible over and above what is paid into the Treasury. Laid over.

Mr. Ingersoll submitted a resolution calling on the President for the correspondence between this and the Spanish Government in relation to the seizure and imprisonment and cruel treatment of Capt Beecher and crew of the Schooner North Carolina, at Port Rico some three years since, for which no redress has yet been had.

News by the Asia.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—The Steamer *Asia*, from Liverpool, December 1st, arrived this evening. The *Golden Age* was to sail in a day or two for Australia.

No movement of magnitude had taken place along the Danube, but continued skirmishes between small parties with some pretty severe ones at Mocklon Islands and at Kirschevo.

The Emperor of Russia refuses to negotiate, except upon proposition from Turkey, and announces his *determination to fight.*

In Asia, the Turkish success continues brilliant. Hostilities have commenced on a small scale on the Black Sea. A Turkish steamer has captured a Russian frigate, and a Russian has taken an Egyptian steamer of ten guns, after a desperate struggle. The Anglo French fleet remains at anchorage.

There was a report that the Turkish fleet intended to bombard Sebastopol. It is understood that Austria has proposed a new conference to be held at Vienna, London or Paris. The powers are said to be favorable to it, and Russia and Turkey will be invited to send delegates. A manifesto from the Czar is expected.

The Turks, after the 20th November, will seize Russian shipping, and the Russians, after the 22d, will seize the Turkish.

The Sultan has declined to receive further supplies from the Ulemas, as he does not wish the present hostilities to be regarded as a holy one.

Apartments are preparing at Adrianople for the Sultan.

Affairs in Servia produce uneasiness to the Porte.

The Servian Government demands from the Porte that an *exequatur* be given to the Russian Consul at Belgrade. The Porte thinks that Servia is listening to Russian intrigues, although the Prince of Servia delares to the Sultan that the Servians would maintain neutrality.

Rumors that Napoleon was hurt or assassinated, were current, but untrue.

There is a report of an alliance between France, Spain and Sardinia, offensive and defensive.

A revolution is reported to have broken out in Portugal in favor of Don Miguel, but the news is not confirmed.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.—Cotton quiet and quotations unchanged; sales of the week, 46,290 bales including 6300 in speculation, and 2760 on export.

BREADSTUFFS.—Under the influence of large arrivals from America, prices on all articles have given away.

Wheat—4d, lower flour 1s a 2s. at which reduction holders decline to sell. Indian Corn in moderate request at previous rates. Philadelphia and Baltimore sold at 35s 35s. a 6d.

Provisions—Gardener & Co. quote Beef dull. Buyers awaiting lower prices in America—Pork is in retail demand at 1s 2s. lower; bacon moves readily at unchanged prices.

Lard quiet, with a downward tendency—5 tons at 57s.

At Manchester business is very dull—Money quiet. Iron trade healthy—good general demand—bars, £8 2s 6d a £8 8s 6d—rails £8 5s a £8 10s, free on board, in Wales—Scotch pig 79s.—*Sentinel.*

The Markets.

NEW-YORK, Dec. 15.—FLOUR.—Demand for western and state not so active for export, but fair for home trade. Better grades more saleable at higher prices. Market firm, but quiet at the close. Canadian firm and in demand—sales 3,700 bbls. at $6,61@6,87; western canal 1,500 bbls. at $6,75a6,81 for common to strait state; $6,87@7,00 for mixed to fancy Michigan and common to good Ohio.

GRAIN.—Demand for wheat continues good and prices better; sales 10,000 bu. southern at $1,65@1,69 for inferior to choice; 5,000 bush. white Penn. at $1,60@1,62; good to choice white Genesee at $1,78@1,80; white Michigan at $1,75.

Rye more plenty, lower and unsettled; sales 9,700 bu. at $1,05@1,06.

Barley quiet but not plenty at 80@87.

Oats plenty and dull at 50@54 for State and Western.

Corn in fair demand and prices of old better—local inquiry good; sales 5,000 bu. at 79@80 for new white southern; 80@81 for old southern mixed; 81@82 for western mixed; 82 for old southern yellow.

PROVISIONS.—A fair demand for Pork for the trade; sales 300 bbls. at $13,37@13,50 for old mess; 15 for new do; $13 for old prime; $12 for new do; prime mess quiet at $14,75@15,00. Beef in fair demand; sales 800 bbls. at $8,50@11,00 for country mess.

Lard in limited request; sales 17 bbls. at 9¾@10c ⅌ ℔ for old. Butter and cheese plenty and in quiet demand.

BUFFALO, Dec. 15, 7 P. M.—FLOUR.—There was a good speculative demand to-day, and we hear of sales of 1,000 bbls.—$6,00@6,25 for good to choice brands Ohio, Michigan and Indiana. There have been sales, yesterday and to-day, of 1,000 bbls. Black Rock on speculation, at $5,6¼@5,81.

Wheat quiet and inactive demand—no sales.

Corn dull; sales 7,000 bus. afloat at 60c.—*Sentinel.*

REAL ESTATE SALE.—Col. Robt. Price has sold the ground upon which the old saloon known as "Nisi Prius" stood, on Park Row, in this town, 33 feet front, for $3,000. The purchasers are Messrs. McKey of Janesville, who design the lot for a store building.—*Madison Argus.*

TAKING the last census as the basis of the calculation, and there are at this time about six hundred million dollars worth of live stock in the United States. Their value exceeds that of all the manufacturing establishments in the country, and also exceeds the capital employed in commerce, both inland and foreign.

Holloway's Pills, A CERTAIN REMEDY FOR THE CURE OF SICK HEADACHES, DIMNESS OF SIGHT, AND DERANGED STOMACHS.—Extract of a letter from Mr. Dinsdale, of Newcastle, dated July 1, 1851.—"To Professor Holloway,—Sir,—I have been a great sufferer for some time from a deranged stomach, and dimness of sight; my digestion was so impaired that I could not venture to eat any solid food, and was so weak as to be incapable of walking a hundred yards. I tried a great variety of medicines without the least benefit. I then commenced taking your Pills and this invaluable medicine has restored me to perfect health. dec14 d1w

LAW AND MEDICAL BOOKS.—A large assortment of Law and Medical Books constantly on hand, and for sale low, by
A. WHITTEMORE & CO., 197 East Water St.

HARPER FOR DECEMBER, just rec'd and for sale by (no29) HALL & PIERCE.

DRY GOODS! DRY GOODS!
AT WHOLESALE.
J. L. PEIRCE,
13 Spring Street, - - - - - Milwaukee.

JUST RECEIVED, and now on hand—
150 bales Grain Bags,
200 do N. H. Sheetings,
75 do Utica do
20 do fine Brown Sheetings,
50 do Stripe Shirtings,
10 do Carpet Yarn,
10 do Warp Yarn,
50 do Wicking,
10 do Twine,
150 do Batting,
10 cases Denims,
75 do Calicoes,
10 do Lancaster Ginghams,
5 do Umbrellas,
20 do Flannels,
50 do Bleached Sheetings,
4 do Drillings,
10 do Canton Flannels,
10 do Colored Cambrics,
5 do Jaard and jaconet Muslins,
25 do Coats' Spool Thread,
50 do White and assorted Skein Thread,
10 do Mackinaw Blankets,
20 do Merinos and Alpacas,
25 do Delaines and Cashmeres,
10 do Sattinetts,
4 do Sheep's Gray Wool Cloths,
5 do Black and Colored Broadcloths,
Together with a large stock of—
Silk Goods and Shawls.
Also, Gloves, Hosiery, Buttons, Carpets, Druggets, Matting, Floor Oil Cloths, and
Millinery Goods, of every description.
Dec. 13, 1853. d1w

HOLIDAY GIFTS!
GIFTS FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS!

VAN COTT has now for sale a large, rich and elegant assortment of articles, purchased especially for the Holidays. Those wishing to make purchases for themselves, or presents for others, can find
Papier Mache Work, of all kinds;
Boxes and Reticules;
Silver Portemonies, very fine;
Card Baskets and French Vases;
Gilt Mirrors, large;
Jewelry, in great abundance and variety;
Watches, Clocks, &c., &c.
He can suit all tastes, and supply all demands, *cheap.*
Those wishing to purchase *something durable,* will find a large supply of
Diamond Rings, Pins and Ear Rings,
of the most beautiful styles.

☞ Remember to call at 166 East Water street, corner of Michigan. A. B. VAN COTT.
Milwaukee, Dec. 10, 1853. daw1m

HOLIDAY GIFTS! HOLIDAY GIFTS!

A VARIETY OF STANDARD AND FANCY WORKS, suitable for presentation, on hand, and will be sold *very low.* A large and well-selected assortment of
Juvenile Books,
suitable for all ages and tastes.

Bibles, of every kind and description, in Turkey Morocco, Velvet, Gutta Percha, and otherwise variously ornamented.
Prayer Books, of the same variety.
Hymn Books, plain, arabesque and gilt.
Portfolios, plain, Turkey morocco, gilt, and papier mache.
Ladies' Reticules, a new supply of choice ones.
Fancy and **Toy Boxes,** of various patterns and qualities.
Portmonies, in Calf, Turkey morocco, Russia, Papier Mache, Inlaid, Shell, Ivory and Pearl.
Card Cases, Shell, Plain and Inlaid.
Gold Pencils, from ONE to THREE dollars each.
Gold Pens, with silver and gold holders from *three* to *sixteen* dollars each.
Cutlery—a superior article of Pen and Pocket Knives of American manufacture. ☞ I have had these Knives on hand for some time, and they have been thoroughly tested. None but the best article kept.

☞ The usual assortment of Fancy, Toilette and Note Papers on hand, and all articles kept in a Stationery establishment. (dec9) S. CHAPMAN, 165 East Water St.

BOOTH'S INK FOR SCHOOLS.

EAST SAGINAW, Mich., Aug. 29, 1853.

W. W. BOOTH:

Dear Sir—I feel myself to be under weighty obligations to you for the dozen bottles of your *Superior Black Ink.* Several bottles are being used in my school, with most gratifying satisfaction. We hear not that common complaint of "poor pens," which we so often hear where an inferior or ordinary article of ink is used. 'Tis not its jetty, black, and shining smooth surface, alone, that gives it a superiority over other articles of the same name, but the readiness with which it always flows from the pen, and the property which effectually prevents metallic pens from corroding, under all ordinary circumstances. I can most cheerfully recommend its introduction into our primary schools as being precisely adapted to the use of children. Respectfully Yours, &c.,

J. O. SELDON, *Principal of Buena Vista Academy, East Saginaw, Mich.*

To W. W. BOOTH, *Druggist, Kentonville, Mich.*

☞ Sold wholesale and retail by ARNOLD & WILSON, 175 East Water Street, Milwaukee.
Nov. 1st, 1853. d1yweowly

SASH, DOORS AND BLINDS!
Always on hand for Sale, and made to Order, by
F. Y. & C. HORNING.

THE Subscribers having purchased the Steam Power formerly owned by William Hawkins, on the East side of Milwaukee River, just in rear of the Post Office, are now prepared to fill all orders with despatch. And being practical mechanics, they feel confident that they shall be able to give satisfaction to all who may favor them with their patronage. ☞ WOOD taken in exchange for Sash, Doors, or Blinds.

N. B.—All sorts of JOBBING done with despatch.
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MR. & MRS. JOHNSTON'S
DAGUERREAN ROOMS,
HEIDE'S BLOCK,
No. 177 1-2, East Water-St., Milwaukee.

☞ This is the only establishment in town in which a lady operates. Please call and see specimens and our choice stock just arrived from Boston.

☞ Stereoscopic pictures taken accurately, and daguerreotypes copied on Ivory.

☞ The art of Painting and Drawing taught by Mrs. JOHNSTON. (oc31 d1y) D. JOHNSTON.

I. B. DECKER,

KEEPS constantly on hand Saddles, Harnesses, Trunks, Valices, Carpet Bags, Whips and Sadlery Hardware, at Wholesale and Retail.

Those wishing to *purchase* can find everything in the above line cheap at 175 East Water Street.
Milwaukee, Dec. 6, 1853. d&wyr

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having Gas Tubes put up in their buildings, that we shall in no case let on the Gas until such pipe or tubing is thoroughly proved and made to stand the test of the Air Pump, subject to my inspection and approval; and that such person or persons employed to put up said Pipe must furnish their own Pump, and prove their own work, and give me timely notice to inspect the same. M. W. CLARKE,
n25 d1m Sup't & Sec'y of Mil. Gas Light Co.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS!
PRESENTS FOR THE LADIES!!

AN assortment of Splendid Pianos, Melodeons, Guitars, &c., to be sold on moderate terms, at the MUSIC STORE of BALATKA & BIEDERMAN,
No. 165 East Water-st. (Chapman's Bookstore.)
dec15d1w

L. F. FRISBY,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
WEST BEND, WASHINGTON COUNTY, WISCONSIN.

☞ Will attend to the payment of Taxes, and purchase and sale of Real Estate. dec10d1y

A WHITTEMORE & CO.,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
BOOKSELLERS AND STATIONERS,
And Manufacturers of every description of
BLANK ACCOUNT BOOKS,
No. 197 East Water Street, Milwaukee.
dec14 MARTIN'S BLOCK. [d1y

MUSIC BOOKS—The Shawm, Dulcimer, Cantica Laudis, Harpsichord, National Psalmist, Carmina Sacra, New Carmina Sacra, American Vocalist, Sacred Minstrel, Psalmista, &c., &c. For sale at wholesale, by
dec14 A. WHITTEMORE & CO., 197 East Water-st.

COPYING AND SEAL PRESSES—At reduced prices, by A. WHITTEMORE & CO.,
dec14 197 East Water-st.

SHAVING & HAIR DRESSING

IN the best manner at 23 Spring Street, three doors east of the American, by
Milwaukee, July 6th. dtf GEO. H. CLARK

FAIRHAVEN OYSTERS.—Received by express direct from Fair Haven—warranted fresh—for sale at
dec3 H. REED'S.

CHRISTIAN AND PRESBYTERIAN ALMANACS for 1844.
dec9 S. CHAPMAN, 165 East Water St.

GOLD PENS.—A new supply of the best ever offered in this market. Just received and for sale by
no23 HALL & PIERCE.

GLOBES—A pair of SIX-INCH GLOBES, on bronze stands. Price $11. For sale by
dec9 S. CHAPMAN, 165 East Water St.

SHAKSPEARE—A copy of Shakspeare, in Eight Volumes, Cloth gilt, and gilt edges. Price $8.
dec9 S. CHAPMAN, 165 East Water St.

SCHOOL BOOKS.—All the various kinds used in the City and State, for sale, wholesale and retail, at the lowest cash rates, by A. WHITTEMORE & CO.,
dec14 197 East Water-st.

NEVER FAILING REMEDY!!
HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT!

A Cripple sets aside his Crutches after 10 years Suffering.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. Thompson, Chemist, Liverpool, Dated August 20th, 1852

To Professor HOLLOWAY.

DEAR SIR—I am enabled to furnish you with a most extraordinary cure effected by your invaluable Ointment and Pills, which has astonished every person acquainted with the sufferer. About 10 years ago, Mr. W. Cummins of Saltney Street, in this town, was thrown from his horse, whereby he received very serious injuries; he had the best medical advice at the time, and was afterwards an inmate of different infirmaries, yet he grew worse, and at length a malignant running ulcer settled in his hip, which so completely crippled him, that he could not move without crutches for nearly 10 years; recently he began to use your Ointment and Pills, which have now healed the wound, strengthened his limb, and enabled him to dispense with his crutches, so that he can walk with the greatest ease, and with renewed health and vigor.

(Signed) J. THOMPSON.

A most Extraordinary Cure of a Dreadful Skin Disease, when all Medicine had failed.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. Hird, Draper, of Keady, near Gainsbro', dated March 1st, 1852.

To Professor HOLLOWAY,

SIR—Some time since one of my children was afflicted with dreadful eruptions over the body and limbs. I obtained the advice of several eminent Surgeons and Physicians, by all of whom the case was considered hopeless.—At length I tried your Ointment and Pills, and without exaggeration, the effect was miraculous, for by persevering in their use, all the eruptions quickly disappeared, and the child was restored to perfect health.

I previously lost a child from a similar complaint, and I firmly believe, had I in her case adopted your medicines she would have been saved also. I shall be happy to testify the truth of this to any enquirer.

(Signed) J. HIRD, *Draper.*

Certain Remedy for Scorbutic Humours. An astonishing Cure of an old Lady 70 years of age of a Bad Leg.

Copy of a Letter from Messrs. Walker & Co., Chemists Bath.

To Professor HOLLOWAY,

DEAR SIR—Among the numerous cures effected by the use of your valuable medicines in this neighborhood, we may mention that of an old lady living in the village of Preston, about five miles from this city. She had ulcerated wounds in her leg for many years, and latterly they increased to such an alarming extent as to defy all the usual remedies; her health rapidly giving way under the suffering she endured. In this distressing condition she had recourse to your Ointment and Pills, and by the assistance of her friends, was enabled to persevere in their use, until she received a perfect cure. We have ourselves been greatly astonished at the effect upon so old a person, she being above 70 years of age. We shall be happy to satisfy any enquiries as to the authenticity of this really wonderful case, either personally or by letter.

A private in the Bath Police Force, also, has been perfectly cured of an old scorbutic affection in the face, after all others means had failed. He states that it is entirely by the use of your Ointment, and speaks loudly in its praise. We remain, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,
April 6th, 1852. (Signed) WALKER & CO.

The Pills should be used conjointly with the Ointment in most of the following cases:—

Bad Legs	Chilblains	Fistulas	Sore throats
Bad Breasts	Chilblains	Gout	Skin diseases
Burns	Chapp'd hands	Glandular	Scurvy
Bunions	Corns (Soft)	swellings	Sore heads
Bite of Mosquitos and	Cancers	Lumbago	Tumors
	Contracted &	Piles	Ulcers
Sand Flies	stiff joints	Rheumat'm	Wounds
Coco-bay	Elephantiasis	Scalds	Yaws

Memory in Music.

It was an ancient melody,
A song of other years;
I heard with joy, yet seemed to feel
Upon my heart in sadness steal,
Forgotten smiles and tears!

For when she sang that song to me,
That little mourning lay,
We thought that life would always seem
As beautiful—as bright a dream,
As soothed our hearts that day.

She never sang that song again—
Her dream of life was o'er;
Yet oft amidst the weary life,
I hear its tones once more!

It sounds—the little mournful strain—
As then, in other years;
I hear with joy, and yet I feel
Upon my heart in sadness steal
Remembered smiles and tears!

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them before he had finished his respectful inquiry. "I beg your pardon!" he said, "but may I ask the name of the flower in the window, and where it came from?"

"Will you walk in, if you please, sir," said the girl; "mother will tell you all she knows about it."

With two steps, the young gardener strode into the small front room where a sick and feeble woman sat in an arm-chair. The room was clean and little furnished. There was only sand upon the floor; and on the table, with some more of the girl's work, was part of a stale loaf, flanked with two mugs that contained some exceedingly blue and limpid milk.

(CONCLUSION TO-MORROW.)

1853. CONTINUATION 1853.

of the Greatest Bargains in Dry Goods, ever offered in this City!

THE NEW YORK CHEAP CASH STORE,
194 West Water Street,

IS daily visited by hundreds of Ladies, from all parts of the City and Country, to purchase

Fancy and Staple Dry Goods,

where may be found every article suitable to the wants of a family, or the capricious taste of the most fastidious. We have just received a large stock of

New and Elegant Fall Dress Goods,

of the latest Parisian Styles, embracing the most *Beautiful Stock of Silks* in this city, as rich Brocades, Changeables, Plain, Plaid and high-colored Black Silks, from 75 shillings a yard to the most costly.

New and Choice French and English Merinoes,

Bombazines, Alpacas, Parametas, Lyonese and Queen's Cloth, which the Ladies will find exquisitely beautiful.

Elegant Rich De Laines,

plain, plaid and figured, the handsomest patterns and most beautiful colors, and every other style of Dress Goods suitable for Ladies and Children's wardrobes.

Mourning Dress Goods of every description.

Long and Square Shawls,

of all kinds, as Woden, Bay State, Scotch Plaid, Broche, Silk and Cashmere, at manufacturers' prices.

Ladies cloth for Cloaks, a beautiful quality and most fashionable colors. Yard wide Silk Velvets for Cloaks, of various colors, at very great bargains. Also, a large stock of Narrow Velvets, for Bonnets.

Broadcloths, Cassimeres and Vestings,

the best French styles, and which were bought three months ago, before they advanced, by our Lewis S. Mack, in Paris, and came to us direct from France, at prices below their value.

White and colored Flannels at unusually low prices.

Fancy Goods of Various Kinds,

as plain and embroidered Pocket Hdkfs, Lace Veils, Cravats, Gloves, Lace Mitts, Flowers, Hosiery and Trimmings in great abundance and at extraordinary low prices.

Embroideries of every description, we have the largest stock in the city.

Ginghams and Calicoes, in unendless variety and most beautiful styles, from 6¼ cts. upward.

Housewife and Family Goods,

as Linen and Cotton Sheetings, Shirtings, Table Damasks, Napkins, Towels, Towelings and Crashes, Diapers, and in fact everything in Dry Goods suitable for a

Lady's Wardrobe, or House Furnishing,

as low as they can be bought at the most celebrated cheap stores in New-York or Boston.

☞ Goods sent to any part of the city gratis.

MACK, OETTINGER & CO.,
oc21 No. 194, West Water-st., Milwaukee.

P. S.—Merchants, Milliners and Pedlars supplied at New-York Jobbing prices, and it will be to their advantage to call on us before purchasing elsewhere.

1853. FALL TRADE. 1853.

DRY GOODS AT WHOLESALE.

OVER ONE THOUSAND PACKAGES,

Just received and opening by

BRADFORD BROTHERS,
No. 155 East Water Street, Milwaukee.

THIS IMMENSE STOCK OF DRY GOODS has been purchased directly from first hands and at Auction, in original Package lots. Our stock consists of

British, French and Domestic Dry Goods,

which have been selected with the greatest care, under the most favorable circumstances. The great object in view is *to sell the largest quantity of goods for the smallest possible profit.*

INTERIOR MERCHANTS,

will find it to their advantage to examine our Stock before going into the Eastern Markets; by so doing, they can save their traveling expenses, time, and interest on stock while in transit.

Below we enumerate a few of the goods to be found in our stock, viz:

5 cases Sheep's Gray cloth,
10 do Satinetts, all qualities,
10 do Kentucky Jeans,
6 do Plaid and Plain Linseys,
6 do Red twilled flannels,
3 do Red plain do
6 do White, yellow and green flannels,
75 bales brown sheetings,
20 do black and white wh'g's,
20 do cotton wick,
25 do twine,
5 do colored carpet yarn,
10 do mariner's stripes,
15 do tickings,
2 cases FANCY CASSIMERES,
2 do BLAC'K do
100 Woden Long and Square Shawls,
2 cases BLACK BROADCLOTHS,
150 pieces Irish Linens,
100 do crash do
125 do muslin de laines,
175 do Scotch diapers,
5 cases black and colored cambries,
4 do Sidesins,
10 do bleached cottons,
20 do fast colored prints,
5 do Scotch and American ginghams,
5 do black and colored alpacas,
2 do tweeds,
6 do cotton flannels,

Also, Bard, Book and Swiss Mulls, Jaconet Cambrics, Buttons, Thread, Hooks and Eyes, Suspenders, Buck Mitts and Gloves, Pins, Needles, and Whalebones, and every other article kept by country merchants.

oct4 BRADFORD BROTHERS.

UNCLE BEN

Has opened his New Store,

And is prepared to furnish ALL who favor him, with

HATS, CAPS, AND FURS,

OF ALL KINDS,

Stone, Martin, and Fitch Victorines and Cuffs of the latest styles. Ladies' Fur Gloves and Mitts, and Fur Overshoes. **BUFFALO ROBES,** Buffalo Overshoes, Gent's Fur Gloves, Trunks, Carpet Bags, Valises, and Umbrellas, at

☞ **Wholesale and Retail.** ☜

His stock has been selected with care and expressly for this market. Caps and Furs manufactured to order on short notice. Please call in and look at his stock at

THROOP & BAILEY'S,
nov8 180 East Water Street.

NEWHALL & BRIGGS,
MANUFACTURERS & DEALERS

IN ALL KINDS OF CABINET-WARE, AND CHAIRS. They keep constantly on hand a first-rate assortment of Sofas, Mahogany Chairs and a large assortment of cane seat work for salent prices that cannot be beat. Also, a very nice and convenient article of furniture in the form of an **Extension Sofa Bed,**—price not exceeding that of a common Sofa. Also, Varnish and Japan of different qualities, for sale at low prices, at No. **223** East Water street, a few doors north of Ludington's corner, Empire Block, Milwaukee.

August 29, 1853. dawfim

MENOMONEE HOTEL FOR SALE!

THE SUBSCRIBER offers for sale the property situated on West Water street, known as the MENOMONEE HOTEL, with all the Furniture and fixtures connected with the same, on the most favorable terms. The property is situated on ground with a long lease to run, and which will be renewed for any desirable length of time.

For particulars, enquire of D. N. NEIMAN.
Milwaukee, Sept. 20, 1853. dtf

MATS—Jute, Grass, and Fancy Mats, for sale cheap by HERBERT REED.
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MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILROAD.

CIRCULAR
TO THE TRAVELING PUBLIC.

New and Important Arrangement, ensuring Speed and Comfort to those who favor this line with their patronage.

Three Trains Daily—Sundays Excepted.

1st., **Lightning Express,** leaves Chicago at 6 A. M., connecting at Cleveland at 7½ P. M., with those new and splendid steamers, CRESCENT CITY and QUEEN OF THE WEST, direct for Buffalo—connecting also at Sandusky with those new and splendid steamers, MISSISSIPPI and ST. LAWRENCE, at 4½ A. M., for Buffalo direct, arriving in time for the early morning trains east.

2d, **Express and Mail,** leaves Chicago at 12½ M., connecting at Toledo, with Michigan Southern Railroad line steamers, which leave Toledo at 4½ A. M., for Monroe and Buffalo.

3d, **Telegraph Express,** leaves Chicago at 8½ P. M., connecting at Monroe next morning with the favorite steamers NORTHERN INDIANA, SOUTHERN MICHIGAN and EMPIRE STATE, *direct* for Buffalo, arriving in time for the 11 o'clock train east via New York Central Railroad.

Ten hours less time than by any other R. R. or Lake Route.

Distance by Mich. Central R. R. and Lakes to Buffalo, 549 miles.
Distance by Mich. Southern R. R., 485 "
In favor of the route by this line, 64 "

Northern Indiana, - - Capt. I. T. Pheatt,
Leaves Toledo and Monroe, Tuesdays and Fridays.
Leaves Buffalo, Wed'sdays and Sat'days.

Southern Michigan, - - Capt. A. D. Perkins,
Leaves Toledo and Monroe, Mondays and Thursdays.
Leaves Buffalo, Tuesdays and Fridays.

Empire State, - - - - Capt. J. Wilson,
Leaves Toledo and Monroe, Wed'sdays and Sat'days.
Leaves Buffalo, Mondays and Thursdays.

☞ Besides the above Boat connections, which this Line offers, there are Three Daily Railroad connections to all important points throughout the Eastern and Middle States.

Such facilities have never before been offered to the Traveling Public, comprising the entire fleet of new steamers on Lake Erie, built with all the modern improvements, with a view to Speed, Safety and Comfort, superior to any steamers afloat in the world.

Only one Train on Sunday—leaves at 8 1-2 o'clock P. M.

☞ Railroad time is 15 minutes faster than Chicago time.

☞ Passengers are particularly requested to procure Tickets before taking the boat.

☞ Office in the U. States building, one door north of the main entrance, East Water street, Milwaukee.

☞ CLEMENT'S fine steamers, Arctic and Traveler, run in connection with this line between Milwaukee and Chicago. Passengers should procure their tickets at the office and save local fare.

sept7 WM. BROWN, Jr., Agent.

NEW ARRANGEMENT!

1853.

CLEMENT'S LINE OF

UNITED STATES MAIL STEAMERS

TRAVELER, - - - - - - Capt. C. R. COOPER,
ARCTIC, - - - - - - - Capt. S. G. BUTLIN,

WILL form a daily line between CHICAGO, WAUKEGAN, KENOSHA, RACINE, MILWAUKEE and SHEBOYGAN, for the season of 1853, and will run in connection with the MICHIGAN SOUTHERN & NORTHERN INDIANA, and MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROADS.

The proprietor offers to the public the above first class Low Pressure Steamers, believing they will make a prompt safe and reliable line. They are fitted up in conformity with the new U. S. law regulating steamers, and the public are assured that the internal police arrangements have been made with a reference to the comfort of passengers.

To Shippers they offer (aside from a daily communication,) the fact that the agent at Chicago is ready, upon proper proof being furnished, to pay promptly for any loss or damage sustained by property while in the possession of this line of Steamers.

N. B.—No Through Tickets sold on the Boats.

S. CLEMENT, Proprietor.
may11 KELLOGG & STRONG, Agents.

1853. FALL TRADE. 1853.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!!
AT THE HARDWARE STORE OF

A. K. WILLIAMS,

25 Spring street, 1st door East of American House,
WEST SIDE OF THE RIVER.

A. K. WILLIAMS is now receiving and opening his Full Stock of Goods, at No. 25 Spring street, where the Public can always find a general and complete assortment of Builders' Hardware, Cutlery, Carpenters, Coopers and Blacksmiths' Tools, Files, Iron, Nails, Glass, Sash, &c., &c., which he will sell, at wholesale or retail, as low as the lowest. ☞ Call and examine goods and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

Carpenters

Can be furnished with Planes, Saws, Hatchets, Hammers, Augers, Levels, Bevels, &c., besides a general assortment of HOUSE TRIMMINGS!

Blacksmiths and Waggon Makers,

With Anvils, Vices, Bellows, Springs, Axles, Hammers, Files, Chisels, Rimmers, &c.

Coopers,

With Knives, Truss Hoops, Adzes, Shaves, Howels, &c.

Farmers,

Will find a complete assortment of Farming Utensils.

Everybody else,

"and the rest of mankind," can be accommodated with Nails, Sash, Shovels, Spades, Picks, Crow Bars, Axles and Springs; two, three and four tined Forks; Coil, Ox and Log Chains; Chain and Cast Pumps, Currycombs and Cards, Horse and Paint Brushes. Also an assortment of Enamelled and Tin Sauce Pans and Kettles; Shovels and Tongs, Fire Setts and Standards; Trays, Waiters in setts, Brass and Pillar Candlesticks, Brass and Glass Curtain Pins and Bands, &c., &c.

Milwaukee, October, 1853

GREAT ATTRACTION, AT OTT'S BOOKSTORE
No. 275 East Water street, Milwaukee.

The subscriber has just received, direct from Germany and France, the largest and choicest collection of Fancy Goods of every variety, ever imported into this city, including the following, viz:

Toys, Portfolios, Monnias, Purses, Jewelries, &c.

Thus affording the citizens of Milwaukee and vicinity an opportunity of selecting from an extensive stock. All the articles will be sold at the lowest possible prices for cash.

The public are respectfully invited to call, that seeing they can judge for themselves. C. OTT,
may1 Importer of Fancy Goods and Toys.

MILWAUKEE & MISSISSIPPI EXPRESS COMPANY.

THE UNDERSIGNED would once more announce to the public that they still continue to run a Daily Express from Milwaukee to Janesville, and from Janesville to Milwaukee, leaving Milwaukee every evening, and Janesville every morning, touching at intermediate stations. They send a trusty agent over the Road daily, who will receive and deliver all goods and packages that may be entrusted to his care. The undersigned are confident that it will be for the interest of merchants, farmers, mechanics and others, who may wish to purchase goods at Milwaukee, or send packages of any description to any point on the Road, to entrust their business to them, who, for a reasonable charge, will faithfully and without delay, transact their business, and thus save them their time and expense. In consequence of our intimate acquaintance with the various points to which goods and packages have been directed, and the carefulness of our Agents, we have not lost a single package, nor incurred any losses in consequence of goods being damaged, during the time we have been engaged in the business.

oct18 tf JAMES HOLTON & CO.

Eagle Steam Power Foundery,
WEST WATER STREET,
Milwaukee, - - - - - Wisconsin,

TURTON & SERCOMB, Proprietors,

RESPECTFULLY beg to inform their friends and the public generally, that they continue to manufacture all kinds of

Engines, Cast & Wrought Iron Works,

for Grist and Saw Mills. Also, all kinds of Machinery, at their well known establishment, Nos. 298 & 300 West Water Street.

They are themselves both practical mechanics, the one a pattern maker of twenty years' experience; the other a moulder of thirty years' experience. They likewise employ none but the very best workmen that can be obtained. Their stock of patterns cannot be equalled—they have all been made in this city, expressly for the wants of this State—and they can and will do better than any similar establishment in this State, and on the shortest notice.

☞ They respectfully call the attention of the public to their ENGINE DEPARTMENT.

THOMAS TURTON, JOHN SERCOMB.
October 4, 1853.

EMIGRANT'S FARMS.

PERSONS desirous of purchasing farms in this county or in any adjoining counties, or houses and lots in the city, will do well to call on the subscriber. Or if they have money to invest they can learn WHERE and how to invest, so as to nett them from 12 to 18 per cent. interest, without charge to the capitalist. Moneys collected for from one to five per cent commission.

May 10th, '53. GEO. E. H. DAY,
Att'y & Commissioner Dickerman's Block.

GERMANY—Drawn from Nature, and engraved on Steel, by the most eminent Artists, with a History, topographical description. No. 7 received at

C. OTT'S Bookstore
dec8 275 East Water st.

FLOWER POTS.—Now is your time to buy cheap. I have on hand 1000 pots, assorted sizes, which I will sell for cost, by the dozen or hundred.

no11 H. REED.

BLEAK HOUSE.—Harper's Illustrated Edition, Abbott's Histories, Franconia Stories, &c., &c., just received and for sale by (no23) HALL & PIERCE.

"IMPROVED TRIUMPH".

THE subscribers are now manufacturing the above named STOVE, which for durability, action, and the general satisfaction it gives has NO EQUAL; and being an entirely NEW STOVE in this market, will be an inducement for the public to examine it, before purchasing elsewhere. We have two sizes of the above, and various other kinds of stoves kept by the trade.

All of which are of Milwaukee manufacture.

☞ For Sale at 290 Wes Water street, and 15 East Water street, Milwaukee.

☞ Extra Plates furnished when wanted. The highest price paid for Old Iron, in exchange.

feb27 DECKER & SEVILLE.

GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING STORE.
No. 173 East Water street.

I. P. ROGERS having purchased the entire Stock in Trade formerly belonging to N. JEWETT, will continue the

Merchant Tailoring & Clothing,
—ALSO—
The Hat, Cap, and Furnishing business,

in all their branches, at the old stand, No. 173 East Water street, where he will be happy to see all the old customers of the establishment, and endeavor by fair dealing, to make new ones.

In the CUSTOM DEPARTMENT, he has secured the services of Mr. P. I. WEEKS, long and favorably known in this community.

☞ Garments made to order on short notice, and warranted to give satisfaction.

Milwaukee, June 25, 1852.

NEW BOOK STORE!

HALL & PIERCE,

ARE now opening a large and full assortment of Books, Stationery, Paper Hangings, Oil Shades, &c., &c., at No. 185 East Water Street, which they offer at Wholesale, and Retail on the most reasonable terms. They are agents for McGuffey's and Sanders' series of Readers and Roy's Arithmetics, of which they will constantly have a large supply. They will also keep all other School Books used in this and adjoining States. Their assortment of Paper Hangings is without doubt the best ever offered in Wisconsin.

J. A. HALL,
R. W. PIERCE.
Milwaukee, May 31, 1853. my31-d1yr

S. A CARROLL,

RETURNS thanks to the Ladies of Milwaukee, for the liberal patronage she has heretofore received, and respectfully solicits a continuance of the same—at he old stand, Wisconsin-st., near Main, where she is prepared to make Dresses and Cloaks, according to the latest styles. LADIES can be taught the F. S. Fowler System of Dress Cutting, and be furnished with Models, at the above named establishment.

Milwaukee, Nov. 15, 1852. dtf

O'NEILL & McDONOUGH'S
NEW CLOTHING AND FURNISHING STORE,

198, East Water Street,
☞ *OPPOSITE MARTIN'S BLOCK.* ☜

THE Subscribers have opened a New Clothing Store at the above No., where they will keep at all times a well selected Stock of **Ready made Clothing and Furnishing Goods,** embracing every variety and style adapted to Gentlemen's wear.

Being both Practical Tailors of long experience, they flatter themselves that they, doing their own business, can make such a saving in expense as will enable them to undersell any Establishment of the kind in the City.

N. B.—We have secured the services of one of the best Tailor's in the west—Mr. STREET, Prize Cost Maker.

EDWARD O'NEILL,
P. McDONOUGH,
Milwaukee, April 14, '53. d&e6m 198 East Water St.

FOR SALE!—TWO HANDSOME AND CONVENIENT DWELLING-HOUSES in the 2d Ward, three in the 4th, and several in the 1st, 3d, and 5th, all, with one or two exceptions, occupying entire lots, several of them with gardens and fruit trees in bearing condition, pleasantly situated in healthful and commanding aspects, and at prices ranging from $800 to $2,500.

☞ For further particulars, inquire at the office of

GREGORY & HUNTINGTON,
Kneeland's Block, East Water street,
oct1 Milwaukee, Wis.

J. CROUGH,
UNDERTAKER,

WILL GIVE HIS PERSONAL ATTENTION at FUNERALS, and furnish COFFINS, HEARSE and CARRIAGES, and procure INTERMENTS in any of the Cemeteries in and about the city. To be found at all times at the well-known Furniture Warehouse of J. F. BIRCHARD, three doors east of the American House, or at his residence on Second-st., first house south of Spring-st., west side. A large assortment of COFFINS, SHROUDS, &c., constantly on hand

Sept. 23, 1853. dly

DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that we have this day withdrawn from the firm of E. M. Shoyer & Co. All persons having claims against the late firm of E. M. Shoyer & Co., will present them for payment, and all those indebted will please make immediate payment.

GABRIEL SHOYER,
WM. SHOYER.

Notice is given that the firm of E. M. Shoyer & Co., will be continued as heretofore by the undersigned.

E. M. SHOYER,
may23 SAM. SHOYER.

AUCTION SALES THE CALIFORNIA FENCE IS DOWN!!

THE ELEPHANT IS COMING!

J. HOOD, Auction and Commission Merchant, at the new Checkered Auction Room, No. 196 East Water Street, where liberal cash advances will be made on all kinds of Merchandize, Furniture, &c., for auction or private sales. MONEY LOANED on personal securities.

☞ Sales made in any part of the city or country at the most reasonable time. J. HOOD, Auctioneer.

Milwaukee, July 25, 1853. j25

STATE OF WISCONSIN, } ss.
MILWAUKEE COUNTY, }

IN the matter of the Estate of Edward Hempel, deceased. On this 2d day of December, A. D. 1853, upon reading and filing the petition of Christian Senne, stating that one Edward Hempel, of the county of Milwaukee, died intestate on or about the 15th day of July, 1852 and praying that H. J. Paine be appointed Administrator on the Estate of said deceased:

IT IS ORDERED, That said application be heard before me at my office, in the City of Milwaukee, on the 27th day of December, A. D. 1853, at 10 o'clock A. M.

And it is further ordered, That notice of said application and hearing be given by publishing a copy of this order for three successive weeks, once in each week, in the Free Democrat, a newspaper printed in said City, prior to said hearing. By the Court

dec3 1aw3w H. N. WELLS, County Judge.

NOTICE.

IN PURSUANCE of an order made by the Hon. Chas. E. Morris, Judge of Probate in and for the County of Sheboygan, on the 28th day of February, 1853, I shall sell at the Court House in the city of Milwaukee, on the 22d day of December next, at 10 o'clock A. M., all the right, title and interest which belonged to John Brusse, deceased, at the time of his death, in the following described real estate, to wit:

Twelve acres of land in the Southeast quarter of Section Two (2), in Township Seven (7), and Range Twenty-one, (21), bounded and described as follows:

Commencing at a point twenty-five rods west of the southeast corner of said quarter section, running thence northeast eighty rods, thence west twenty-four rods, thence south eighty rods, thence east twenty-four rods to the place of beginning, being in the town of Waukesha, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin.

☞ Terms made known at the time and place of sale.

GARRITT BRUSSE, Administrator.
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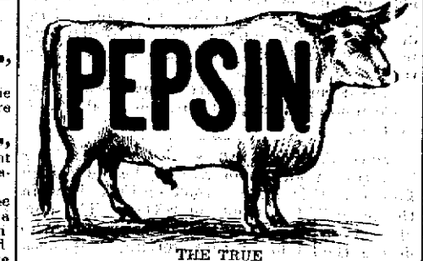
GREAT CURE FOR

DYSPEPSIA!

DR. J. S. HOUGHTON'S



THE TRUE

DIGESTIVE FLUID, OR, GASTRIC JUICE.

Prepared from RENNET, or the Fourth STOMACH OF THE OX, after directions of BARON LIEBIG, the great Physiological Chemist, by Dr. J. S. HOUGHTON, M. D., Philadelphia, Pa.

THIS IS NATURE'S OWN REMEDY for an unhealthy Stomach. No art of man can equal its curative powers. It contains no ALCOHOL, BITTERS, ACIDS, or NAUSEOUS DRUGS. It is extremely agreeable to the taste, and may be taken by the most feeble patients, who cannot eat a water cracker without acute distress.

Beware of DRUGGED IMITATIONS. Pepsin is NOT A DRUG.

Call on the Agent, and get a descriptive circular, gratis, giving a large amount of SCIENTIFIC EVIDENCE, from Liebig's Animal Chemistry; Dr. Combe's Physiology of Digestion; Dr. Pereira on Food and Diet; Dr. John W. Draper, of New York University; Prof. Dunglison's Physiology; Prof. Silliman, of Yale College; Dr. Carpenter's Physiology, &c., together with reports of CURES from all parts of the United States.

☞ Sold in MILWAUKEE, by S. Johnson, Jr., A. F. Clarke, Henry Pass, and H. Bosworth & Sons, wholesale and retail. oct24dsely

BOYD'S RHETORIC, Anthon's Classical Dictionary, Greek Grammar, and a large supply of other **School and Classical Books,** just received and for sale by (no23) HALL & PIERCE.

KIRBY'S ACCOMMODATION HACK.

KIRBY may be found, with his Hack, on Main street, near the Theatre, in the day time, and any orders left for him at "Old Kirby's" Jewelry Store, corner of Wisconsin and East Water streets, will be promptly attended to.

He will convey passengers to and from the Boats or Railroad, or carry parties about the city, for very moderate fares.

KIRBY hopes by close attention to business to please all. dec2

CITY OMNIBUS LINE.

First Ward, Spring street Hill, Kilbourntown and Walker's Point.

Running regularly from 6 o'clock A. M. to 9 o'clock P. M. ☞ Ticket to be had at the Stage Office, Wisconsin street, or of the Drivers. Price Five Cents. je26

ON THE CHEAP CASH PRINCIPLE:

GREAT FURNITURE
—AND—
UPHOLSTERY ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 172 and 174 East Water St.
Wholesale and Retail.

A. D. SEAMAN & CO.

THE undersigned thankful for past favors, and desiring a continuance of patronage from their customers and the public, invite and solicit their attention to their extensive and unparalled assortment of Plain and *Elegant* new styles,

CABINET FURNITURE,

Embracing nearly every article belonging to the Trade.—Also

UPHOLSTERY.

Comprising every thing peculiar to that important department of trade. Also,

SHADES, CURTAINS, &c.

With every description of Trimmings, which we keep a man expressly engaged for putting up, and cutting, making and putting down Carpets.

The trade supplied at liberal discount.

N. B.—We are exclusive agents for the State of Wisconsin for

"Fisk's Patent Metallic Burial Cases,"

An article altogether unique, and which is destined to supersede the perishable wooden coffin now in use. Call and see them.

Also agents for the sale of Thompson, Price & Co.'s celebrated Varnishes and Japans.

Furniture and Upholstery made to order with disputch and punctuality. A. D. SEAMAN & CO.
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METALIC BURIAL CASES!

FISK'S PATENT METALIC BURIAL CASES, air-tight and indestructible for protecting and preserving the Dead for ordinary interments, for vaults, for transportation &c. These cases are tastefully constructed and neatly proportioned, with none of the sombre and repulsive appearance peculiar to coffins, which they are destined entirely to supersede.

They are exposed for the inspection of the public at the Furniture Ware Rooms of A. D. SEAMAN & CO.
dec14 Agent for the State of Wisconsin.

CITY AUCTION ROOM.

WELL, the BARNUM HUMBUG has been exhibited, and we are all satisfied with it, and we will have to be satisfied with whatever is presented before us; for what else is there in this cold, miserable world, but Humbugs? Lawyers are Humbugs, Doctors are Humbugs, Bankers are Humbugs, Merchants are Humbugs, Auctioneers would try to be Humbugs, and in fact every thing is a Humbug, with two exceptions, viz: Handsome Ladies and a group of small Children, are the only realities we have in this world. Now, I have no fault to find, nor do I care what any one says, for there is no friend so near and dear to you as yourself, and all you should wish of that friend is to do right. Now, I again call your attention to this STOCK OF DRY GOODS, amounting to about Ten Thousand Dollars, which I now offer to any one on 6, 12, or 18 months without any interest, at what they cost.—Real Estate security will be taken. To any one who wants to go into the Dry Goods Trade, here is an opportunity that seldom offers.

aug2 CALEB WALL, City Auctioneer.

STATIONERY.

Cap, Letter, Folio-post, Demy, Medium, Writing, Drawing, Envelope, Tissue, Blotting, colored Medium, Marble, Morocco, Gold printed, Glazed, Silver, Gilt and Wedding PAPER.

Emerald, Floral, Embossed, Gilded, Cartoon, Enamelled Satin, Ivory and Printer's CARDS.

Gold and Steel Pens; wood, tin and ornamented penholders.

Cedar, drawing, slate and Crayon Pencils; porcelain and stone slates.

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